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Sutton Students Hold Mock Town Meeting

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By A.A. Belisle

SUTTON - Seniors in David Muradian's and Paul Henrickson's Government classes at Sutton High School recently received a first-hand look at the oldest form of participatory government in the United States: the New England town meeting.

Through the efforts of their teachers, Sutton Town Clerk Ethel O'Day, and Town Administrator Dexter Blois, students were able to vote on five articles at a Mock Town Meeting held on April 12 in the Elementary School auditorium. Two of the articles on the warrant were proposed by the students and the remaining three were articles which will appear on the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in May.

In addition to O'Day and Blois, the following town officials were present to offer their opinions and expertise on the many questions asked by the students: Town Moderator Ron Pierpont; Selectmen Mike Chizy, Wally Johnson, Rick LaBonte, and Mary K. Connor; and School Committee member Ann Fox. Seniors Skye Keown and Kevin Donovan served as members of the Finance Committee.

Among the articles under discussion was one dealing with the School Department Budget. As the Moderator went over the line items, one student commented on the line item "Student Body Activities," saying, "I think the school should do more in this area. If more money were appropriated maybe more students would become involved."

Another student questioned where the $10,000 allocated for Student Activities is spent. "We don't spend $10,000 all year. We go to Boston once a year. Where does the money go? Who's got it?" he asked.

School Committee member Ann Fox replied, "$7,000 of that is for salaries."

Also questioned was the fact that the School Department carried a line item for "Guidance" and one for "Youth Guidance." Superintendent Gordon Spence, who had entered the auditorium shortly before the question was asked, spoke to the question, saying, "That account is actually an account that is in many communities shared or put into the selectmen's budget. That is a service that's available to all the residents in the community of Sutton. Not the students. This is family counseling for any resident of the community based upon a per capita cost; I think it's now $2.75. Rather than split it up between who takes the services, adults, families, or students, it's a small amount and we have put it in our budget historically. It's for outside counseling services."

After replying to the question, and prior to leaving, Spence told the students, "I don't think it's fair to have Mrs. Fox (School Committee member) answer those questions.

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Voters Hear [illegible]teen Speak Out a[illegible] Candidates' Night

By A.A. Belisle

MILLBURY - Approximately 100 people turned out for a Democratic Town Committee sponsored Candidates' Night on April 13 at Millbury High School; including 15 of 33 candidates running for public office on the April 25 Ballot. Tom Fox served as Moderator.

The first candidates to speak were four of 13 individuals who are seeking one of nine seats on the Charter Commission: Robert D. Sullivan, Francis King, Theresa Hamilton, and Robert H. Brainard. Other candidates on the ballot for the Charter Commission are: Gerald J. Bleau, Sylvio E. Bourdeau, June R. Cote, Raymond P. Lee, Karen A. Kenary, Gary C. Nelson, Harold F. Ostrowski, Nancy A. Prior, and Wayne R. Sclar.

Sullivan, a teacher in the Millbury School System, said his goals are "to make sure that we study what this town wants; what the people want." He also said he wanted to protect individual rights so that people that follow him will have the same opportunities that he has had to become actively involved in town government.

King, an employee of Massachusetts American Water Company, told the gathering, "I haven't been involved in too many things in town government, but this year, I believe the charter commission is going to be a very important position. Instead of staying home and complaining about what's going on I figured I would get involved."

The third candidate to speak was Theresa Hamilton, a permanent substitute teacher at Millbury High School. "I'm running for the Charter Commission," she said, "because I want to see the commission provide structural and organizational changes that will help our public officials make government more efficient and economical at providing essential programs and services for our townspeople."

Hamilton said she sees a lot of changes coming for the Town and wants to play an active role in Millbury's future. "I want to work with interested townspeople and public officials to make town government more able to grow with these changes," she said.

Hamilton also said she will offer a fresh perspective. "I don't have any pre-conceived ideas about what structural or organizational changes will best serve Millbury's interests. I'll keep an open mind while we study different alternatives and I'll seek out the opinions and points of view of public officials and interested townspeople."

The final candidate to speak was Robert H. Brainard, a 26-year employee of Sears and Roebuck. "I'm running for the Charter Commission because I have a lot of pride in this town," Brainard said. "I like the people and I want to be part of Millbury's growth."

In response to a question from the audience on the type of government he would be in favor of, Brainard responded, "I always lean towards the town manager, but it's only fair to say, if we knew the type of government that Millbury was suited for we wouldn't need a charter commission."

Three of the five candidates for one opening on the Planning Board were also in attendance: Daniel J. Messier, Peter A. Little, and Mary Lampron McCann. Candidates Arthur J. Moore, who is seeking re-election, and Dennis W. Wood, were not present.

Messier said he has lived in Millbury for approximately 5 years and runs a local remediation corporation which employs about 50 people. "I'm just getting interested in becoming involved in the town," he said, "and the first place that I'm looking is the planning board."

Messier said that, while generally opposed to strip malls and massive developments, he is a realist and knows that development can't be halted. My purpose in running," he said, "is to try to get the best out of these developments, taking into consideration the environment, natural resources, setting aside plans for parks or other areas where kids can grow up and have a little room to play."

Candidate Peter Little, who has lived in town for approximately a month and a half, expressed his frustrations in dealing with local boards. "I've been fighting with the Planning Board and the Board of Appeals and the building process for three years to put my house up next door to where my father gave me the opportunity to build and live in the town of Millbury," he said. "I've learned a lot in the past couple of years fighting with it, understanding why it is so hard to build in a town. I guess what hurts the most is trying to understand still why some people can do it a lot easier than the average person."

In concluding his statement, Little said he would like to bring some young, fresh ideas to the board from his experiences.

Mary Lampron McCann, a 1984 graduate of Worcester State College with a B.A. in Urban Studies, is a title examiner paralegal with Taylor Abstract Company. She said her education included research in several areas of urban planning and development. "Each class focused on different issues a community can face," she

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We The People...

Hopes Motives Were Not Misconstrued

To the Editor:

Recently, a search occurred in Millbury by the Middle District Task Force which attracted a lot of media attention. The complaint by the father of the suspect regarding the search at his residence prompted me to see if there was a way to enhance the opportunities for citizens to have an effective communications process with the task force when necessary.

In no way did I intend to intercede with search methods or law enforcement techniques. If that impression was given, or if my initial statements after seeing the apartment seemed rash, I apologize. I only wanted to discuss what I had learned from other task forces about establishing channels of communication between the task forces, town officials, and citizens. The policies and structures in other task forces, along with written manuals, enable issues and concerns to be addressed regularly and seems to prevent crisis situations from occurring.

I strongly endorse the collaborative concept of the task force as an extremely effective way to fight drugs and crime, and have assisted the two task forces in my district in obtaining the grant money which help them operate. Recently Senator Bertonazzi and I have filed legislation to allow them to keep, for additional operational funding, a bigger share of the drug money that they confiscate. Additionally, I continually press for more state funds for drug education and law enforcement efforts, as I did recently in the "House" budget. Also, I have always urged the best wage and benefit programs for our police personnel and the most up-to-date equipment and resources available for their use.

I hope my motives were not misconstrued. I recognize full well the tremendous task we have in dealing with one of society's worst problems. I earnestly try to do what I can to help. If, in this case, I hindered in any way, I truly am sorry, and would welcome the opportunity to discuss the matter with anyone, in hopes of resolving any problems I may have caused.

Paul Kollios
State Representative

Thank You...

The Millbury Public Library's 125th birthday celebration was a resounding success. Close to one hundred people attended our sign dedication and reception. A good time was had by all!

Many, many people and businesses contributed to the success of this event. There are too many to name individually. To these people, the Board of Trustees and the Friends of the Millbury Public Library thank you for your help in our birthday celebration as well as all the support you have shown us in the past.

Our special thanks to Senator John Houston, Representative Paul Kollios, Selectman Jude Cristo, the Village Knoll Variety Store, Mrs. Macks Bakery, Carrie's Corner Restaurant and Jest Jeff's Fruit & Produce, the Donut Center, Goretti's Supermarket, Millbury Towne Florist, Darlene's Florist, Salo Florist, the Sunshine Sign Co., and Barbara Whittier and the folks at WEDesign, Norman Army and Norma Girourd, Millbury Arts Council, Millbury-Sutton Chronicle, Millbury Journal, Blackstone Valley Tribune, and Worcester Telegram and Gazette.

Rosemary Waltos, Director
Millbury Public Library

Thank You...

The members of the Millbury Firefighter's Relief Association would like to thank everyone who showed their support and contributed to our first yearbook. We hope that those of you who were able to attend either of the country music shows enjoyed the music and entertainment that was presented by Bonnie Nelson, her band, and Friedhoffer, the magician. Our heartfelt thanks to the citizens, businesses and organizations in and around Millbury who helped to make the Country Jamboree a success.

Millbury Firefighter's Relief Association

Calendar

SATURDAY, APRIL 22

SUTTON - St. Anne's Church, Main Street, Manchaug, will hold a Ham and Bean Supper from 4-7 p.m. Tickets are $4.00 for adults and $2 for children under 12. A Penny Social and Raffle will be held in conjunction with the supper.

SUNDAY, APRIL 23

SUTTON - Folk musicians and storytellers Peggy Morgan and Bette Phelan will perform in the "Big Room," 3rd floor, Sutton Town Hall, on Sunday, April 23, at 2:00 p.m.

SUTTON - Sutton Youth Baseball/Softball Day. Festivities will begin with a parade from Sutton Center at 2:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 25

MILLBURY - Annual Town Election

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

SUTTON - The Sutton P.T.A. will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the Sutton Elementary School auditorium.

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ST. BRIGID'S - MILLBURY: Rev. Thomas J. Markey, Pastor; Rev. Laurence V. Brault, Associate Pastor - Weekday Masses: 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.; Saturday Masses: 4:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.; Sunday Masses: 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.; Confessions: Saturday from 11:30 a.m. to noon, and from 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

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SUTTON FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH: Rev. Andrew J. Bierkan, Pastor - Sundays: 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship & Sunday School in the Meetinghouse. Crib Room, Nursery, Kindergarten, Grades 1-8 at 10:00 a.m.; Jr. P.F. as announced; Sr. P.F. 7-9 p.m. Programs: Thursday Morning Bible Study at 10:00 a.m.; 2nd Thursday, Women's Fellowship of Sutton luncheon/program/meetings at noon. Monthly Public Suppers on 1st Saturdays, 5-7 p.m. Monthly Public Luncheons: 3rd Wednesdays - noon to 1:00 p.m. April-Nov.; Sunday School stops after June 11, Children's Day.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL, MILLBURY, Telephone - 865-9861: Rev. Bruce MacLeod, Interim Minister - Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. - Church School 9:00 a.m.; Mondays 7:00 p.m., Diet Workshop; Deacons - First Thursday; Executive Board - Second Monday; Millbury Woman's Club - First Monday at noon.

MILLBURY FEDERATED: Methodist - Congregational Rev. Richard Mattozzi, Pastor - Sunday Services: Adult Worship, Youth Worship, Childcare - 10:00 a.m., Church School - 10:15 a.m., Coffee Fellowship - 11:00 a.m.; Bible Study: Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. and Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m.; Senior Choir Rehearsal: Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST, WEST SUTTON: Mr. John Olson - Sunday Morning Worship at 9:30 a.m. followed by Coffee Time at 10:30 a.m.; 3rd Tuesday of each month - Women's Association meetings.

FAITH ALIVE MINISTRIES - all welcome. 138 Providence Tpke. (Rte.146), Millbury, MA, 865-5966. Pastor John Pfeffer: Sunday morning service and Sunday school, 10:00 am; Evening, 7:30 pm; Wednesday Bible Study at 7:30 pm.

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RAYMOND MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL (United Church of Christ): Mr. Raymond Mars, Pastor; Miss Elfreida Klaucke, Organist - Sunday Morning Service at 9:30 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL, Main St., Wilkinsonville: Rev. Walter E. Reynolds; Saturday, 5:30 p.m. - Holy Communion; Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion - 10:00 a.m. Holy Communion (1st-3rd-5th Sunday); Morning Prayer on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Church School - Pre-School - Grade 8

EMANUEL LUTHERAN, 200 Greenwood Street, Worcester, MA, Telephone: 756-6620: George G. Kinney, D.Min., Pastor; Ms. Louisa Klaven, Pastoral Assistant. Sunday Morning Chapel Service: 8:30 a.m.; Family Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Educational Hour for Children and Adults, 10:45 a.m.; Communion on First Sunday of the month.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 53 N. Main St., N. Grafton, 839-3453; Vicar, the Rev. Dr. Thomas Sullivan. Holy Eucharist 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Sundays.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 88 Main St., South Grafton. Member-Conservative Congregational Christian Conference: Pastor, Rev. Edward L. Marston, Jr.; Sunday Services - Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday evening Bible Study and Prayer, 7:00 p.m.

THE VILLAGE BIBLE CHURCH, meeting in the Raymond Memorial Church, Raymond Street, East Millbury: Pastor, Rev. Bruce Buchanan; Sunday Services at 11:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Sunday School, 5:30 p.m.; Wednesday night prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 p.m.

Millbury Selectmen's Meeting Digest

Selectmen Reinstate Youth Commission Members

By Edward J. Cooney

MILLBURY - Chairman Jude Cristo called the April 11 meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Trailer Restrictions

Administrative Assistant Earl Chase informed the board that he had followed up on the board's request for additional information concerning licenses and permit requirements for trucking firms. According to Chase, the DPW has restricted trailers over 45' long from the Rte. 20 corridor from Rte. 122 west. It was noted last week by Cristo that two companies located in the Latti Farm Industrial Park have been receiving a number of citations. They told Cristo that if they were aware of the restrictions they would not have located in the park.

Chase said the restrictions have been in existence for several years, starting around 1984. He said the DPW restrictions on trailer size were prompted by the geometrics of the roads and safety.

Insurance

Chase said that non-compensated elected officials have been notified about the new policy adopted regarding insurance, which will start this election year. He said that officials whose terms will expire will also be notified and will have the option to pay premiums themselves up to 18 months before choosing other possible options for health insurance.

Cease and Desist Order

A cease and desist order has been placed on the construction of a family dwelling to be located on Victoria Terrace. According to Chase, the State Building Inspector viewed the site and noted several conditions that must be met before construction can continue.

The board then voted 4-0-1, with Cristo abstaining, to delay for the second time a request for a street opening permit requested by Forrow Builders.

Parking for Boat Ramp

At 7:15, Provisional Police Chief Ron Stokowski discussed parking conditions at the boat ramp at Singletary Lake off West Main Street. He suggested that "No Parking" signs be erected along both sides of West Main Street from the boat ramp west to the intersection at the "nook" and from the 1st driveway after Harris Ice house. The board voted approval.

Problem With Phones

In another matter, the chief told board members that, in the near future, some discussion will be necessary pertaining to problems with phones. He noted that on a recent occasion he ran into a problem correcting the telephone service. He indicated that the private service, Erickson, said the problem was not the equipment but the lines. According to New England Telephone, the problem is not in the lines but in the equipment. Chase said he didn't agree that the system needed updating. He suggested waiting until the new electronic equipment is in place in the town to see if that might clear up some of the problems.

We are in the communication business," Stokowski said. "If it is not right, it needs to be addressed."

Youth Activities Commission

At 7:30 p.m., Cristo recognized Mary Clark, Sue Ryan, and Bill Brady, who were present concerning last week's vote by the board to rescind their appointments to the Youth Activities Commission. Clark said that she, Ryan, and Brady were asking the board to reconsider their vote which they considered inappropriate and out of order.

Clark read the following statement,

"According to Article 29 of the May 3, 1988 Annual Town Meeting, which was approved, 'Any member of a commission so appointed may, after a public hearing, if requested, be removed for cause by the appointing authority.' No public hearing was posted, advertised, or held. Therefore this action was illegal according to the bylaw.

"Members did not receive notice of all the scheduled meetings, including the April 4, 1989 meeting. According to the Town Clerk's Office, three meetings were not posted. You cannot attend meetings if you are not notified, and it is all but impossible to attend as is stated in your letter of April 5, 1989. Meetings were not on a regular scheduled evening. Notice was given a day before by telephone and written notice was never sent.

"As citizens of the Town of Millbury who voluntarily agreed to serve on the Commission, we cannot understand how we could be "fired" when it is a volunteer position. To our knowledge this is the first time that a member of a commission has been rescinded from a position of this nature. In most instances, a member has been contacted to allow them to make the decision as to whether or not they want to remain on the commission, give them the right to resign, or at least allow them to give reasons for their absences. In some cases our absences were of an emergency nature. We were not given that opportunity; instead we were replaced before we knew we were dismissed.

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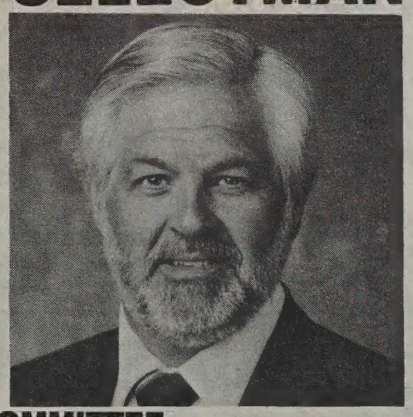

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"In addition to that we were publicly humiliated and embarrassed by the newspapers, and learned of our dismissal by reading it in the newspaper.

"We hope, in the future, before any impulsive action is taken by the Board of Selectmen, that you understand the bylaw that the respective commission is working under, and that the courtesy be given to the members to explain their reasons for absences before any vote is taken to rescind their appointment."

The letter was signed by Clark, Ryan and Brady.

Cristo responded, "We did not fire anyone. If the T&G wants to sensationalize it we have no control over that. We did rescind the appointments. We were under the impression that you were not attending the meetings and as a result nothing was getting done. There has been money available for a year. Before making a decision we asked Earl Chase to call you. We were told you wanted to serve. We also were told you could not attend regular meetings based upon what Earl and other members stated. Others were interested. We were never unhappy with the performance of you people in the past."

Chase said that he did not personally try to contact the members but worked through Terry O'Brien, who is a member of the Commission and also works at the Town Hall.

Cristo apologized to the three individuals, saying, "I thought you were contacted. Earl got information second hand. You did not have an opportunity to rebut. I apologize for that lack of procedural consistency."

Selectman Wynton Adams then moved for reinstatement, and Selectman Donald Gauthier questioned how they would be reinstated. "There are three appointments only. All [commission members] should have been here."

Clark said, "I asked you to have all the others here tonight."

Chase replied that he expected they would be here and that Terry O'Brien was to have contacted them.

Clark then maintained that the three appointments made at the last meeting (Rosemary Waltos, Mary Lampron, and Lincoln Barton) were not legal appointments as no public hearing was held. Gauthier asked Chase to check with the town clerk to see if any of the three were sworn in. Chase returned to say that Lampron and Barton had been sworn in.

Selectman John Donnelly then noted, "If we did something wrong we should find out where we stand before making any appointments."

Clark replied, "It still looks like we did something wrong. You have to go back to the bylaw; this is law. You can't rescind appointments without a public hearing. According to the bylaw I am still a member of the commission."

Adams then said he supported Clark. "The action was flawed by failure to recognize the langauge accepted at the town meeting."

Cristo noted that there was no need for a motion if the board erred.

Adams said, "They are looking for more than the action of a motion. In the eyes of the public, they want to be reinstated."

On a 3-2 vote, Clark, Ryan and Brady were reinstated.

Cristo again apologized, saying "We were misinformed to a great degree."

The board took up next the matter of a letter from Youth Commission member William Brady, who was just reinstated.

The letter read, "I would like to thank you for the 'innovative' way of removing me from the Millbury Youth Commission, but in essence you have actually helped my decision to resign from the Commission. My work schedule has been demanding of late, and committing to any other outside activity would not be in my best interest or the best interest of my family.

"However, you and the Millbury Town Selectmen should be cognizant of a counterproductive element within the Youth Commission that may seriously undermine the effectiveness in producing the goals and objectives of the Millbury Youth Commission."

Lachance asked Brady to tell the board what the problem was. Brady replied, "You will find out when all get together." The board voted 4-0 to accept his resignation.

CMRPC

At 8:10, the board met with Bill Newton the Director of the Central Mass Regional Planning Council. Newton said he was present to seek support from the selectmen and the Planning Board for an article that will be on the town warrant to establish a bylaw that would support the inclusion of the CMRPC in providing studies if and when proposed developments along the Rte. 20 or Rte. 146 corridor are considered. According to Newton, studies of Rte. 20 similar to studies accomplished along the Rte. 9 corridor would be developed both on a short and long term nature. He also noted that any studies done would be within a 45 day time frame as opposed to studies done by the DPW and MEPA which he maintained would be longer in development and availability for the town planning board if and when a major development is proposed.

According to Newton, the fees would be charged payable to CMRPC to pay for the studies that would range from $500-$600 per project.

Adams asked about the mechanism to transfer collection of fees from the town to CMRPC.

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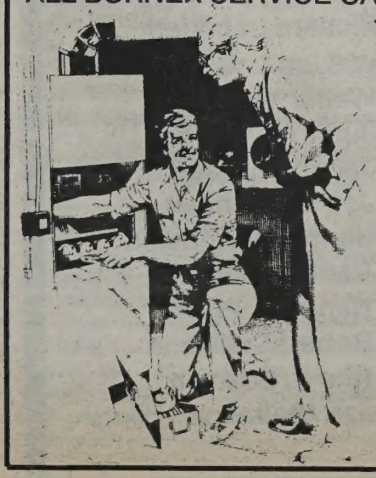

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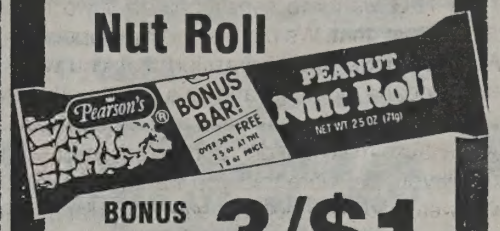

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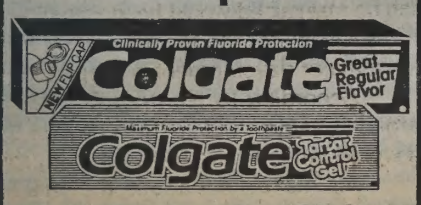

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On The Shelf

By Rosemary Waltos

Do you have teenagers who use to like to read, but hardly ever pick up a book? Do you have teenagers that never really read? Are you a parent that knows the value of reading? A parent who knows that to read is to succeed? Are you a parent that is concerned that your teen lacks the motivation and skills in basic reading?

What can you do to help your teenagers? Knowing a few basic approaches to your teenagers and their reading will help turn them on to reading.

The nonprofit organization Reading Is Fundamental (RIF) suggests that adults should try to avoid certain reactions to teens and their reading habits. They suggest first that teens should not be pressured or nagged into reading. Above all, do not bribe them. Criticizing teens for what they read will drive them to the blue-green glow of the television set. It's okay to tell them what troubles you about what they are reading after you have read the material yourself. Be reasonable and engage them in conversation about your concerns. As little as possible, forbid them to read materials you find inappropriate. Chances are if you do censor their reading, you'll only find it hidden under the bed anyway. Finally, please don't be too generous with your parental praise. React to your teens reading as a normal activity. Show interest, but don't overdo. Let your teens know that reading is for their own benefit and pleasure, not yours.

In the publication "Teenagers and Reading: a Guide for Parents," RIF outlines ways to encourage your teen to read:

- Set an example by letting your teens see you reading for pleasure.

- Be sure to leave a variety of reading materials about in your home. Keep books, magazines and newspapers around the house and look out for signs of what your teen is interested in reading.

- Make it your business to know what your teens like and find reading material that relates to their interests. Remember, books and magazine subscriptions make good presents.

- Let your teens know that you value the importance of reading as a pleasure. Whether it's a novel, a magazine article or the comics, all these will contribute to building lifetime reading skills.

- Let your teens select their own books and magazines. When you're in the library or a book store, let them browse the collection alone.

- Read novels written for teens yourself. By doing so, you'll find out what is available for them as well as learning of some of the issues that concern them. You can turn towards your library to find many of these titles.

- Read aloud and make it part of a shared family activity. You can do this in a casual way by reading from the newspaper or a magazine.

- Remember that your teens are soon to be adults and respect them for that. When appropriate, steer your teens toward more challenging and mature reading materials.

- Visit your library often with your teens. Encourage them to take advantage of the young adult collection there. Look for reading lists generated by the library that include many interesting and fun titles for reading pleasure.

As we announced earlier, the Millbury Public Library is in the process of upgrading its collection of young adult fiction for children in grades five and up. This is possible with a federal grant administered through the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners. As the result of this grant, the library has added hundreds of new titles to its collection. In addition, we are offering several special interest programs to teens throughout the year.

If your teens have a reading disability and their reading level is below the norm, the library also has selections available to them. These materials are high interest/low reading level titles and the books are located in the young adult section of the library.

In addition to high interest/low reading level materials, also look for computer software and books-on-tapes appropriate for young adults this summer. You can also look for our special summer reading list due to come out in June.

COMING SOON

STORY HOUR REGISTRATION: April 25-28. Register your preschooler, age three to five, for one of our two story hour sessions that start on May 17 and 18.

MOTHER'S DAY PRESENT WORKSHOP: April 27, 3:30-4:30. Make a special present to give mom on Mother's Day.

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Local Students Excel in Competition

UPTON - Twenty students from Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School recently competed in the annual statewide Vocational Industrial Clubs of America competition held at Blue Hills Regional Vocational School, Canton, MA. Seven Valley Tech students won medals.

Lisa Sclar of Millbury, from the graphic arts program, was one of two students who qualified to compete in the National Leadership Conference and United States Skill Olympics to be held June 26-July 1, in Tulsa, Oklahoma. She was a gold medalist in the state competition. Other successful competitors included Keith Talbot of Sutton, who was awarded a bronze medal in the field of auto machining. That program is not included in the national Skills Olympics.

Well over 1,000 vo-tech students from every section of the Commonwealth participated in the competition. The competition tested each contestant's depth of knowledge and demonstrated competency levels in his/her field of expertise.

Chamber Breakfast

SUTTON - A program entitled "Worker's Compensation Management for Small Business" will be presented at the Blackstone Valley Chamber of Commerce membership breakfast on Tuesday, May 2, from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. at Pleasant Valley Country Club.

Featured speaker James J. Paugh, vice president for operations at Lynch Ryan & Associates of Westboro, will explain how businesses can improve management of worker claims. Statistics for improving insurance costs and the selection of appropriate insurance plans will also be addressed.

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HI GANG! - Tho' April showers may come your way, they'll bring the flowers, and the bibbits, the bugs and the gnats that bloom and bite in May! - Good Grief, is it that time again?

THE SPRING items are out - what the heck, they were out right after Christmas; the garden tools, the screen houses. The Fair will have their run on garden tools shortly, fertilizer, etc. One thing we found out when buying lawn furniture was that those plastic resin chairs, which are comfortable, will outlast by a longshot those darn webbed chairs; they're a pain in the duppa, webbing always falling apart. Give me something that will last. Speaking of lasting...

HOW ABOUT the 15 year old youngster from around Boston way who made a deal with his parents that he could do without TV for a whole year! - The fact that his parents offered him $1,000 didn't hurt any, either. But the clincher was that, after winning the bet, he donated $500 to Muscular Dystrophy.

"FLEECE The Flock!" - My friends, believe it! It's a new game out on the market. Yupp! The shenanigans of some TV evangelists have spawned another game for the American public....This game is similar to Monopoly. The player assumes the role of evangelist. Armed with collection plates, players toss the dice and pursue ownership of parks, TV stations and record companies, ad nauseam. Anything for a buck! (Wonder if the game can be purchased around here?)...**DID YOU** know that the smell of a skunk can be detected by a human a mile away? It can also clear up your sinus problems, if any!...**HAS ANYONE OUT** there ever seen a baby **PIGEON?**

THEY SAY that one person can make a difference in the world...how true! How true! The captain of the ship the Exxon Valdez certainly changed part of the world's ecology - for the worst! - with his being bashed and unable to take control of his ship....Congratulations Captain Joseph Hazelwood, you're a credit to your profession.

(If water pollution gets any worse, walking on it will be a cinch!) And at the rate we're going, it won't be long now!

A YEN FOR LOBSTER - All of a sudden, the Japanese are hankering for lobster! Yupp, and you know what it's doing to our prices. Up, up, and away, me buckoes! Japanese are buying Canadian lobsters thereby limiting our supplies. $8.00 a pound. Good grief! Back to tuna me friends. Canada! Phooey with you.

FIFTY YEARS AGO this month...National Income was $1,403. A 2 bedroom home cost $6,416; a new Buick - $996.00. A gallon of gas $.17. Gold was selling at $35.00 an ounce; silver .39 an ounce. Bread was 8 cents; milk was 49 cents; coffee 23 cents a pound. Good grief! The top songs were: "Over the Rainbow," "The Three Little Fishies," "If I Didn't Care." And Max Baer and Ray Ingram fought under lights in Johannesburg South Africa in the world's first televised boxing match (somehow that last entry doesn't sound kosher, but that's what the record book says!). Did you know that the Bozo Adolf Hitler was named Man of the Year in 1938? Now that's something I never knew.

HISTORY is simply a record of man's intelligence - or lack of it!

One Little Rose

(submitted by a reader)

I would rather have one little rose
From the garden of a friend
Than to have the choicest flowers
When my stay on earth must end.

I would rather have one pleasant word
in kindness said to me
Than flattery when my heart is still
And life has ceased to be.

I would rather have a loving smile
From friends I know are true
Than tears shed 'round my casket
When this world I've bid adieu.

So bring me flowers today
That I can gaze upon
I'd rather have one blossom now
Than a truckload when I'm gone.

AHA! WHO'S THE DUMMY!...

It was a rainy Thursday morning, about 5 a.m. to be exact. It was time for PeeWee's morning constitution. For all those who are now saying "PeeWee? Who dat?" Well, he's my miniature Dachshund. Meanwhile, back in the backyard, the door was opened, PeeWee refused to come out. Evidently he didn't want to get wet; it was raining too hard for him! You know what, I had to go out first and show him that the rain wasn't that bad and he should come out and do his thing! He refused. I called him a dummy! He looked at me, shaking his head side to side, saying, "Who's the dummy! You're the one out in the back yard in your 'jammies' at five o'clock in the morning, in the rain, talking to a dog."

You know, I think he's got a point. I'm the dummy! I still love 'im, though!

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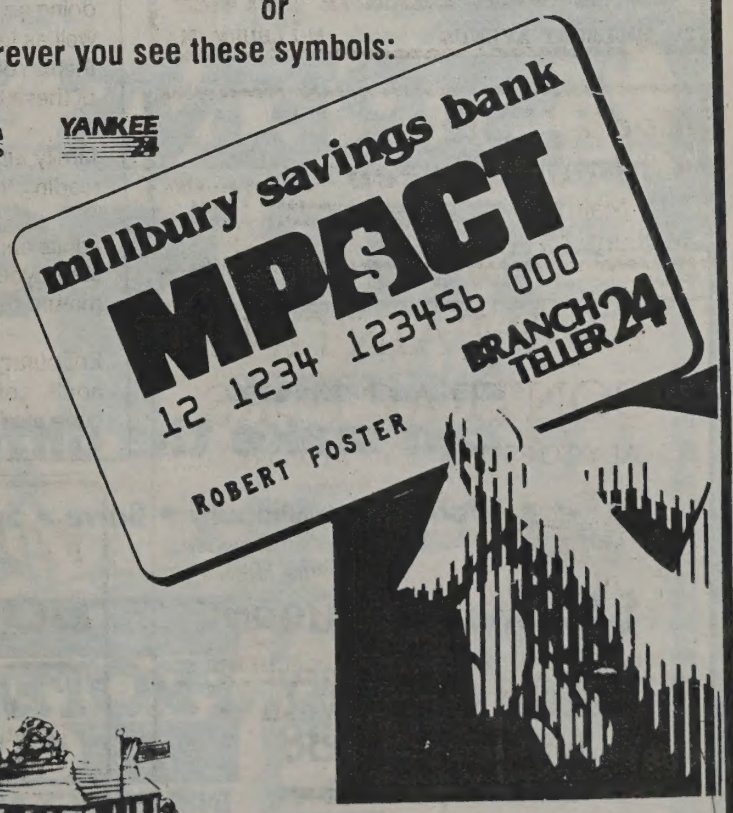

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said, "from social and economical aspects of people to the physical monuments that are found in our environment."

McCann said she would commit herself to working hard to interpret the zoning bylaws "for the benefit and well-being of the townspeople and the community of Millbury."

The planning board candidates were then asked for their views on the proposed Rte. 146 mall and Rte. 146/20 interchanges.

Messier responded, "Primarily, Rte. 146 can either turn out to be a Rte. 9 in Framingham or into something like Rte. 9 in Westboro. If you've seen the Westboro office park it's beautiful, a lot of buildings, a lot of development in there; you can barely see it. It's surrounded with the natural beauty of the environment. It was well planned and well thought out. They didn't just come in and bulldoze everything out and start to build." Messier said he would try to coax the developers into being a little bit creative in developing the area "rather than just doing it in an inexpensive and profitable way."

Little said he would be in favor of the mall "as long as they put in the guidelines and as long as both parties are protected in the matter of parking and access to it. You have to weigh the good and the bad," he said. "If it's good for the town and it's good for the people, and it's feasible and everything is in the guidelines, I don't think there's any problem with it going in."

Lampron said she too was in favor of the mall and believes it will add to Millbury. "I think that, as it's developed, it needs to be followed and that as buildings go up, everything should be approved. It should fit into the environment. It shouldn't become an ugly monument."

Of the two individuals seeking election to the Cemetery Commission, Randolph G. Mogren Jr. and incumbent Robert A. Donovan, only Mogren was present. Voters will be asked to select one candidate.

"In June," Mogren said, "I'll complete 35 years as a teacher/administrator. In September of the following year, I'll call it quits. I feel that I can best serve this community which has been very good to me by being a member of the cemetery commission."

All three candidates for School Committee were present: incumbent Bruce D. Pease, Alan K. Marble, and Oliver J. Mason. Voters will be asked to select two candidates.

Oliver Mason explained that he has a Master's Degree in education and is employed full time as an administrator for the National Guard Division in the state. He previously served on the School Committee from 1982-1985.

"My experiences include contract bargaining, both as a teacher and as a member of the school committee," Mason said. "My goals include providing the best education for this town to meet the needs of the students to include both the high and the low achievers." Mason said he would also like to continue to expand on the drug and alcohol awareness programs in the schools.

Mason listed the effect of the state budget on education and lowering the school dropout rate as two of his concerns.

Alan Marble, a teacher in the Framingham Public School System, has Bachelor's and Master's Degrees in Education from Worcester State College. He said he believes a person running for school committee should have priorities. "I feel first they should be involved and committed to the community. They should be involved and care about children, they should have qualifications that enable them to deal with what now are very complex issues that come up all the time in the school systems."

Marble said that, as an experienced teacher, he is familiar with the daily problems faced by the students, teachers, and administrators. "I also talk with parents a lot," Marble said, "parents that come into the school with problems and concerns."

Marble said that his experience on the Millbury Finance Committee has enabled him to see the "other side of the coin." "Everybody knows one of the biggest issues facing the school right now is the tight budget, and how to go about tightening up the budget without having to lay off a lot of teachers. It seems likes every time adults in government foul up, so to speak, and we get into financial problems, kids end up taking it on the nose."

Incumbent Bruce Pease has been a teacher for 26 years and holds Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Education from Worcester State College in addition to a Master's Degree in Science from WPI.

Pease said he first ran for the School Committee because he has four children attending Millbury public schools and wanted to return something to the system. "I wanted to be involved in it and I wanted to be involved in the changes that were occurring, and I wanted to be involved in the recovery process from Proposition 2 1/2."

"If re-elected," Pease said, "I will continue working to improve education for every child in this town, at every level, so that they'll be better prepared for life after they graduate from Millbury High School, whether that life be college, service, work force, whatever."

The candidates were then asked to explain how they would go about cutting $300,000 from the school budget.

Mason replied, "Having not been part of the budget process during the last three years, I don't have the particulars on how the budget was arrived at. I would definitely take a look at supplies, at those areas where there might be some fat built in with staff being the last place I would want to trim."

Marble said it would be necessary to take the budget as a whole, go through it line by line, and trim out everything possible that the school process can get along without. "I am not in favor of cutting any major programs," he said. "I think a lot of money can be taken out of the budget on line by line items. When it comes right down to it, however, with a lot of money to be taken out, eventually it's going to come down to a reduction in personnel which I hate to see, but I think that's the way it's going to have to go."

Pease said he agreed with Marble's comments. "We're dealing with a budget that is approximately 80% in salaries. It doesn't have a lot of fat in it now because I was involved in the process. The budget as it stands right now is still a proposed tentative budget. However," he added, "it may boil down that we may have to affect staff. If we have to affect staff we are then going to affect kids, affect programs. And it's about the only way we're going to get $300,000 out."

The candidates were then asked to give their long range goals. Mason replied, "I think the most important thing we're going to do as a long range plan here is continue with the basic skills assessment, continue to develop the curriculum to keep it in line with the rest of the state and the rest of the country."

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Marble said his first priority would be to arrive at a workable budget and "get a workable school system with the amount of staff that are going to run it." He also said he would like to see more attention focused on the average student. "The average student sometimes gets almost forgotten," he said. "They have the programs for the gifted and talented and the special needs, but the majority of the students are average students."

Pease said his long term goal is to keep improving educational standards. "I think what we have to do is everything necessary to make sure that these children grow up and are educated in such a way that they can take over the job from us tomorrow."

The candidates were then asked if they were familiar with the Massachusetts Conflict of Interest Law, and, if so, would any of them be filing a "Disclosure Notice." A disclosure notice, in essence, states that the elected official will be able to carry out the duties of his or her office despite the fact that their may be an appearance of a conflict of interest.

Both Mason and Pease said that, if elected, they would file a Disclosure Notice as their wives are employed in the Millbury Public School System. Mason said he had been confronted with this issue before and that the question, through the superintendent, was addressed to the state. "The appropriate authorities decided there was no conflict of interest. The only thing I had to do was abstain from contract negotiations involving the teachers."

Pease said he has a disclosure now on file with the Town Clerk and will be filing another if re-elected. He also noted that he could not participate on any matters pertaining to his wife, "other than that I do have a ruling that says I can vote on the teacher's contract as a package to maintain the continuity of the committee," he said.

The candidates were then asked if a reduction in the number of school committee members able to participate in negotiations would impact contract talks.

Mason replied, "I don't think the impact would be total. I have tremendous faith and confidence in the other members of the committee and their ability to make those contract decisions."

Pease prefaced his remarks by stating that contracts would not be up for re-negotiation for another three years. "I divorced myself from this year's contract," he said, "and for a portion of the contract the negotiations were carried out by a four member committee and, for another portion because another member had a conflict with a family member being involved in coaching, the negotiations were carried out by a three-member sub-committee. I don't see that as any problem whatsoever."

Marble disagreed with Pease and Mason, stating, "If you have a five member committee dealing with very important issues, one of the most important is contract negotiations. If you effectively reduce a five member committee to three at this crucial time, I think that does have a great impact on the committee. It doesn't put the committee out of commission but it certainly cripples it to some degree."

The only candidate to appear for a non-contested position was Alan Tuttle, who is seeking election to the Board of Assessors. Tuttle said he would like to be returned to the board of Assessors where he served prior to his term on the School Committee. "I feel that during this critical time in the state, my experience and knowledge will help both the Board of Assessors and the Town of Millbury."

The final candidates who spoke are all seeking election to the Board of Selectmen: Wayne R. Sclar, Ronald L. Korch, and Gerald J. Bleau. Donald Gauthier, who is seeking re-election, was not in attendance. Voters will be asked to select two candidates for the Board.

Candidate Sclar said he was committed to working with others to: create programs to prevent child abuse and neglect; prevent unwanted teen pregnancies; and to create greater recreational, social and educational opportunities for senior citizens. "Too often we think that the only place that responds to children is the school department and too often we don't think enough about the elderly," he said. "I want to create a more active line between the private sector and the public sector, between government, businesses, churches and civic organizations to create programs that respond to the suffering of others."

Sclar said he would not propose programs that would be funded through the Town's treasury, but would seek funding, "through the hearts, minds, and compassion of the citizens of Millbury."

Ronald Korch, a retired member of the community and a 26 year resident of Millbury, said that he has the time to devote to the position and that he looks to Millbury's growth "to be better than it is now."

"I can work with all departments," Korch said, "and I'm sure that I can do honor to the town of Millbury serving on the Board with the members we have now and add a new dimension because I have some ideas of my own."

"If you choose to vote for me," Korch said, "you will make it an extra special occasion because my wife Norma and I will be celebrating our 42nd wedding anniversary."

The final candidate to speak was Gerald Bleau, a former member of the Finance Committee, vice chairman of the Capital Budget Committee, and a member of the Solid Waste Advisory and Charter Study Committees. Bleau holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration from the University of Massachusetts and a Master's from Anna Maria College.

"I feel our town is drifting without a point of direction," Bleau said, "and I recognize the need for government to set goals. We should be planning for our future, particularly in the areas of the effect of the 146 interchange on our town, to better meet our solid waste disposal needs, for a new senior center, more recreational space particularly in the area of swimming, and for better management of the various town departments. In short," Bleau said, "we should better utilize our tax dollars."

The three candidates were then questioned on their views on Proposition 2 1/2.

"In the years that I've been involved in politics," Sclar said, "I keep hearing, 'cut the waste; cut the fat.' It gets to the point where it's unrealistic. If you're going to provide services and programs, there's only so much waste and so much fat. At some point the leaders in this town are going to have to get enough courage to lead a proposition 2 1/2 override."

Korch responded, "In my estimation, Prop. 2 1/2 was to keep the towns within their limits for expenditures. As far as I'm concerned, I would like to see the town stay within its means, without curtailing the school system."

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Newton replied that the bylaw would trigger the report with fees going direct to CMRPC. Adams replied, "That's not what the bylaw says."

Newton then explained, "The fees would be charged by the town and paid directly to us. We establish the fee with the planning board. Our only concern is covering staff costs."

Adams asked if Millbury would be the only town along Rte. 146 to be involved. Newton replied that that was the case at the present time.

Adams suggested that situations could arise whereby Millbury could be incompatible with neighboring towns with zoning bylaws where growth is controlled and, on the other hand, lose tax base to other communities with less restrictions.

Newton replied that the town would be doing a responsible job using information to make the best decisions.

HVAC System

The board met with the Town's engineering consultant, Semoon Oh, and Bill Sweeney of Paragon Plumbing regarding the HVAC system replacement project for the town hall.

Oh recommended that Paragon be approved as the contractor for the project as the low bidder at $88,000. Sweeny presented the board with a list of public projects Paragon has done and presently is involved in. He also said that the Kenny Company letter contesting the bid was "strictly business competition" as paragon had previously contested one of their contract bids. "It's just a little healthy sparring," he said.

On a motion by Donnelly, the board voted unanimously to award the bid to Paragon Pluming Co. of Chilmark Street in Worcester.

Oh suggested that 5% of the contract be set aside as a contingency fund. "We can do it for the price quoted," Sweeney said.

Transfer Station

Under Old Business, Cristo noted that on-site meetings were held at the transfer station last week. He said that rough plumbing for a bathroom/toilet facility will be installed for future hook up to a sewerage line. He also noted that the plumbing inspector has not "budged" regarding an incineration type toilet.

Downtown Parking Lot

According to Chase, the Highway Surveyor will be doing rehab work at the downtown parking lot and will consider widening or extending the present size to the limits of the boundaries of the lot, which have been more clearly defined.

Millbury Ave. Reconstruction Project

Copies of contacts for the Millbury Avenue reconstruction project have been sent to Granger-Lynch. Cristo suggested that a time line for completion be assigned to the project. Donnelly suggested it could take six months for the 3,000 foot reconstruction project which will cause some inconvenience for residents living in the area.

Building Inspector's Position

The board received a letter of interest from Assistant Building Inspector Carl Ferraco for the present position of building inspector, which comes up for reappointment in May.

West Main Street Sidewalk

An addenda to Old Business was brought up by Adams concerning the poor condition of a section of the sidewalk at the mills on West Main Street that is used as part of a loading dock. Adams said he was assured when the matter was brought up before it would be taken care of.

Chase said he talked to Highway Surveyor Joe Chase who reported that the mill owners will take care of the matter.

Water Levels

Lachance asked who was keeping tabs on the water levels at Ramshorn and Singletary. Chase replied that the highway surveyor said he will be monitoring the levels and will take care of Ramshorn by using the central gates rather than removing boards.

Clean Up Behind High Carbon

Town Planner Dave Hulseberg told the board that the Zecco Company would be removing the barrels at the Old New England High Carbon Co. and that George D'Auteuil has done the clean up of the area behind the buildings on Howe Avenue.

Dog Complaint

A letter was received from Alice Burke of Beach Street who reported that some chickens had been killed in her yard by a neighboring dog. She alleged that the Bengtson's dog was responsible. She also said that the leash laws were not enforced.

Cristo noted that this has been an ongoing situation in that neighborhood and asked "What do we do with this?" He then suggested that Earl Chase contact the dog officer and take a look at the situation again to see if there is evidence of chickens being killed by dogs.

Hazardous Waste Pick Up Day

A letter was received from Fire Chief Tom Nault suggesting that the town consider a Millbury Hazardous Waste Pick Up Day, possibly in conjunction with Grafton and Sutton.

Adams agreed that the proposal was a good idea but noted that if insufficient funds are appropriated and residents are cut off in the middle of the day, some will get service and some won't. "You don't do it unless you do it right," he said.

A suggestion was made to run the proposal by the new board of health as they may be more inclined to do something.

SJC Decision

A letter was received from Town Counsel Kopelman and Paige regarding the Supreme Judicial Court's decision on "Benjamin F. Miles and another v. Planning Board of Millbury." The letter stated that the Supreme Judicial Court has upheld the decision of the Superior Court which found that the Planning Board did not exceed its authority in imposing three

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PAID POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

On April 25
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TERRY HAMILTON

CHARTER COMMISSION

Candidate Profile:

- Address: 15 Manor Road
- Age: 31
- Occupation: Permanent Substitute Teacher, Millbury High School
- Education: Worcester State College,
  Bachelor of Science in Natural Science, 1981
- Volunteer: 2 Weekly After School Programs:
  Camelot MHS (Program Director)
  L'Autre Choix
- Civic:
  Member of Millbury Democratic Town Committee
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  Elected to be a delegate at 1989 Democratic State Convention

"If I am elected to the Charter Commission, I will work to make the Charter a living document that is sensitive and responsive to the interests and concerns of the people of Millbury."

T. Hamilton

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conditions upon approval of the plaintiff's subdivision plan.

According to the letter, "The SJC held that the Planning Board is required by G.L. c.40, 81Q only to 'adhere to standards used in similar Town building' of roadways when it specifies the standards for the construction of subdivision roadways. It further affirmed the Superior Court's determination that examples of early 1970 road construction were not relevant and need not have been considered by the Planning Board. In addition, the SJC affirmed that construction done with Commonwealth funding and built to the Commonwealth's specifications were also irrelevant in assessing what road building standards are 'commonly applied' by the Town."

According to the letter, the only point which was decided in the developer's favor was the question of whether the specification of underground utility lines falls within the requirements of G.L. c. 40, 81Q. "The SJC found," the letter said, "that Planning Board rules and regulations regarding utility lines are subject to the limitations of G.L. c. 41, 81Q. This finding has no effect on this case, however, since the Plaintiffs were unable to point to any example of Town road construction in a residential subdivision, and this holding is unlikely to affect many residential subdivisions in the future.

"The immediate impact of this case is that the three conditions imposed by the Planning Board will stand. In addition, this decision is of major impact to Planning Boards throughout the Commonwealth. It gives the Planning Board more latitude in specifying standards for road building than many developers have recognized in the past."

The board adjourned following the completion of the mail.

Democratic Action Agenda

BOSTON - The Democratic State Committee's Action Agenda met recently to develop a poll of delegates to this year's state Democratic Convention. Senator John P. Houston (D-Worcester), a member of the committee, encouraged the group saying that he hoped they would "continue working to help define a set of issues to carry the Democrats into the 1990's, such as financing long term care for the elderly and developing economic policies to boost productivity." The committee, chaired by Rep. Stan Rosenberg, will review and select the issues to be place on the poll.

Action Agenda was founded at the 1987 Democratic issues convention to help the party set its statewide legislative priorities. Houston, who was appointed to the committee at its inception, commented that taking a poll of the delegates is a very important task. "It brings the party back to its grassroots base and serves as another bridge between the people and their government."

Houston added, "I am very proud to be a part of the Action Agenda, since the questions it asks and the priorities it sets will have a great impact on the future of Central Massachusetts."

Rummage Sale

MILLBURY - The Women's Fellowship of Raymond Memorial Congregational Church (United Church of Christ) will hold a rummage sale at the church, 5 Raymond Street, on Friday, May 5, from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. and on Saturday, May 6, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Featured will be many items of good, clean clothing in a variety of sizes, household articles, attic treasures, jewelry, toys, etc. Refreshments will be available.

The Women's Fellowship will have its regular meeting at the church on Tuesday, May 2, and will make final plans for the sale at that time. For further information, call 799-2622, 757-8763, or 755-3591. You may also call these numbers if you have any items to donate and need to have them picked up.

Poppy Days

MILLBURY - In recognition of the Annual sale of Poppies by the Devoe-Taylor American Legion Unit #9, the Millbury Board of Selectmen has declared Thursday, May 4, Friday, May 5 and Saturday, May 6 as "Poppy Days" and urges the citizens of Millbury to recognize the merits of this cause by contributing generously to support through the purchase of Poppies on the days set aside for the distribution of these symbols of appreciation for the sacrifices of disabled veterans.

Each poppy is individually made by disabled veterans in hospitals and workshops. The purpose of the Poppy Days is for the rehabilitation of veterans and their families.

Dental Assisting Program Enters 26th Year

WORCESTER - On September 9, the David Hale Fanning School of Health and Technical Occupations will mark the 26th year of the Dental Assisting Training Program. The program is open to high school graduates or those who will graduate this Spring.

According to Adrienne Nichols, Dental Assistant Program Coordinator, dental assisting provides an opportunity for young people in today's marketplace, with starting salaries well above those available to the untrained high school graduate. Many openings are available in and around Worcester, with each practicing dentist hiring at least one, and as many as five office assistants.

"Many young women have made satisfying careers in dental assisting," Nichols said, "because it allows them to develop a full range of skills from direct chairside work to office management. Nowhere else can one so quickly obtain such a wide range of in-depth experience. I only wish that more individuals would consider dental assisting as a career option; the dental profession has room for more trained persons."

The Fanning program runs from September to May. Classes are held at the campus on Belmont Street and, during externship periods, in the private offices of participating area dentists. For more information or a tour of the school, call 799-1976.

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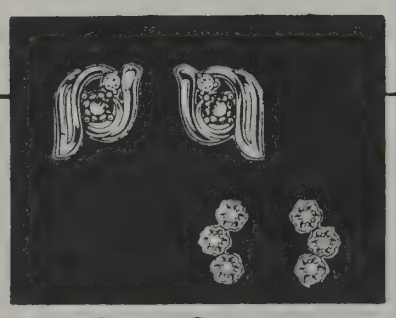
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A new program has been proposed at the Middle School which uses older children to read to younger children. Four volunteers are needed to prepare a group of seventh graders to read to classes at the Elmwood Street School. Every other Friday, the volunteers would listen to the seventh graders practice the selected story and help them with expression and pronunciation difficulties. On the Fridays of the readings, the volunteers would be responsible for walking the students to Elmwood Street School and back to Middle School. This program is scheduled to begin April 28, 11:00 a.m. to noon, Fridays. Anyone interested in either of these requests is asked to call Linda Tift at 865-5241 before 3:00 p.m.

Millbury School Connection

Presentation on Self Esteem

MILLBURY - Ms. Patricia Long will speak on "Self-Esteem - Managing Conflict" at the Elmwood Street School at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 3. Her presentation is designed for parents and teachers of children of all ages. For further information, contact the Chapter I Office at 865-9131. Parents are encouraged to attend this free presentation.

Students Needed to Staff Positions

SUTTON - The Sutton Recreation Commission is seeking students to fill the following positions for their summer program:

1. Senior Recreation Counselors (4)
2. Swimming Counselors (3-4)
3. Junior Counselors (11-12)

All of the positions are responsible for a supervised activities program serving children ages 3-13 for the swimming program and 6-16 for the activities program. All positions are 25 hours per week.

The swimming program is 3 weeks long and will begin July 10. The recreation program is a 4 week program and will begin the Monday following the swimming program.

The pay scale for swimming and senior counselors is $4.50, $5.00, and $5.50, depending on experience. The pay scale for junior counselors is $3.50, $3.75, and $4.00, also depending on experience.

Any student that may have experience and/or certification in these areas and is interested in any of the positions should submit an application for employment to: Sutton Recreation Commission, Sutton Town Hall, Sutton, MA 01590. The deadline for applications is May 5, 1989. Sutton is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Women's Bowling League

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOUR A&S & E, they won the roll-off with the Piranhas. The winning pin fall was 1362 to 1326.

The Four A's & E team members are: Ann Coons, Captain; Alene Saxby, Aggie Boire, Alice Lucier, and Ellen Bouvier. High strings were rolled by: Ellen Bouvier, 111; Alene Saxby, 107; and Ann Coons, 104.

Congratulations also go to the individual winners for this season:

High Average
Pat Gaspar - 102.9
Becky Rushton - 98.8
Hope Stockhaus - 96.9

High Single
Charlotte Gabree - 131
Joan DeSantis - 127
Kathy Marble - 124

High Triple
Gail Higginbottom - 335
Ann Coons - 327
Mary Jo Boire - 325

And so, this season has ended. We had a good year. Thanks for the comments from our readers on the articles each week. Have a good summer! Be back in September.

Alene Saxby, League Secretary

School Lunch Menus

Week of April 24-28

HIGH SCHOOL

MONDAY: Chicken Nuggets, French Fries, Corn, Pan Roll/Butter, Mixed Fruit
TUESDAY: Ravioli/Meat Sauce, French Fries, Green Beans, Garlic Bread, Jello/Topping
WEDNESDAY: Turkey Syrian Sandwich, Lettuce & Tomato, French Fries, Fruit
THURSDAY: Juice, Taco, Lettuce & Tomato, French Fries, Pudding
FRIDAY: Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza, French Fries, Tossed Salad

ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE

MONDAY: Hot Dog on a Roll, Potato Puffs, Baked Beans, Peaches
TUESDAY: Juice, American Chop Suey, Green Beans, Garlic Bread, Jello/Topping
WEDNESDAY: Baconburger on a Roll, Lettuce & Tomato, French Fries, Fruit
THURSDAY: Chicken Pot Pie, Corn, Pan Roll/Butter, Pudding
FRIDAY: Juice, Special Cheese Sandwich, French Fries, Brownie

College Financial Aid Hotline

The Massachusetts Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (MASFAA) will sponsor an Awards Decision Hotline during the last week of April. The number is 1-800-422-4725. The hotline will be staffed by experienced financial aid officers, Monday through Friday, from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. April 24-28.

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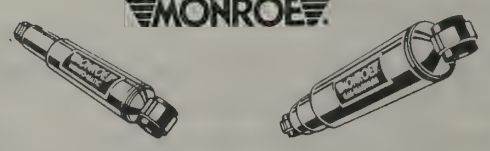
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Aroun' The Town & Golden Agers Update

By Lillian C. Sheehan

MILLBURY ARTS COUNCIL - an open invitation is extended to all members of the senior community to attend the following function to be presented at Millbury High School: FREEDOM TRAIN Theatreworks/USA, Monday, April 24, performances at 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. This professional theater group from New York will present a musical about the life of Harriet Tubman and the Underground Railroad that she and other slaves used as escape routes to freedom. Millbury was one of the stops used on this "railroad."

These presentations are made possible through funding from the Millbury Arts Council and the High School Improvement Council. This program is supported in part by the Massachusetts Arts Lottery, as administered by the Millbury Arts Council.

ABOUT THE PLAY: Harriet Tubman was born into slavery but devoted all her energies to freeing others. She was a woman of action, but in times of stress was given to prayer. She repeatedly faced danger and possible death at state boundary lines dividing freedom from slavery and became so famous that several books have been written about her during her lifetime. Freedom Train tells the story of Harriet Tubman - the Moses of her people - in a fascinating series of highly theatrical scenes - scenes that use dance, dialogue, mime and music of the period. Freedom Train is a story about self sacrifice, dedication, and survival; it is also laced with warmth and a sense of humor that celebrates the human spirit - a universal story for all ages and all races. Please contact Mr. Carmody at the High School (865-5841) if you are interested in attending.

BEN FRANKLIN TO VISIT ST. BRIGID'S WOMEN'S CLUB: the next meeting of St. Brigid's Women's Club will be Thursday, April 27, in the church hall. President Madeline Hartline will preside at the business meeting which will be followed by a most unique program.

Benjamin Franklin will be portrayed by Henry L. Burnett, who has 91 books on Franklin and is an ardent admirer of that noble personage. Mr. Burnett says, "I portray myself as Franklin over 200 years ago, in 1785, when he came back after signing the Treaty of Paris. He spent 26 years of his life in Europe representing what became the United States."

This promises to be an interesting evening. Paula Beauregard and Mary-Lou Mulhane are Co-chairwomen and they will be assisted by Bunny Gaudere, Doris Goryl, Joan Hall, Gussie Hansen, Bernie Lemoine, Eva Malo, Anne Marlborough, Pat McDonough, Ellen Norton, Rosemary Norton, Mary Jane Randell, and Hazel Weldon.

Henry Burnett will be giving his talk as "Ben Franklin Reappears Today" at the meeting of the St. Brigid's Women's Club on Thursday, April 27. Burnett will comment and compare experiences in 1789 with what is happening in 1989.

Please Note: reservations will be taken at the April meeting for the Communion Supper to be held at the Cocke n' Kettle on Thursday, May 18. All reservations should be accompanied with a check. Chicken is $12.00 and Shrimp is $16.00. Please make checks out to St. Brigid's Women's Club and give or send to Lillian Sheehan.

LILY AND SUMMER GARDEN SHOW: the annual Lily and Summer Garden Show sponsored by the Worcester County Horticultural Society and the New England Regional Lily Group will be held at the Boylston Town House, Route 70, Boylston, on Saturday, July 8 from 1-5 and Sunday, July 9, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The show is free and open to the public. Displays of a wide variety of lilies will be shown with plates of fruits and vegetables, vases of garden fresh flowers, and thriving house plants.

Floral designs displaying the bounty of the summer garden will be exhibited by professionals and amateurs alike. Competition is free and open to the public also. To check the Schedule of Entries, call 869-6111.

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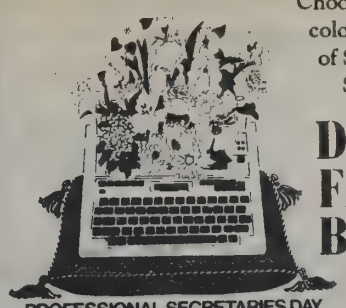

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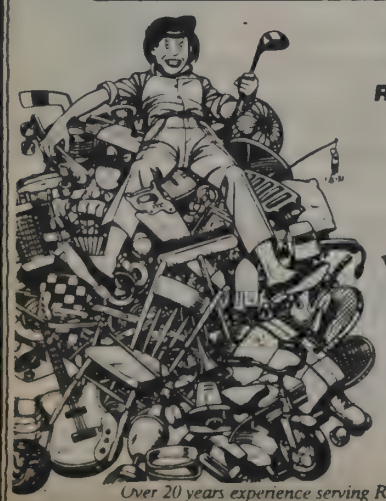

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Planning Board Holds Public Hearing on Zoning By-Law Amendments

SUTTON - The Sutton Planning Board held meetings on March 27th and April 10th and continue their review of a number of subdivision and site plans that are before the Town.

Tournament Hills

At the March 27th meeting the Board winded down their review of the Tournament Hills definitive subdivision plan. This development includes 48 single family homes located between Armsby Road and Boston Road. However, the majority of the land is also included as part of the Pleasant Valley Limited Density Residential Development (LDRD) proposal which is currently in the preliminary stages and being considered for certain use and dimensional variances before the Zoning Board of Appeals.

After reviewing the revised plans with Kasierski and Venincasa of M.J. Casa, the Planning Board voted unanimously to grant waivers from subdivision plan requirements for well location and the 3:1 slope requirement on one of the interior roads, provided that a barrier be erected for safety.

With the waivers determined and granted, the Board then voted 3 to 1 to grant conditional approval provided that the applicant meet the following conditions: that no construction begin until all lots are connected to the Town's sewage treatment system and that written assurance from the Board of Sewer Commissioners is given stating that capacity is sufficient and available; no driveways will exceed 10 percent; suitable fencing is provided around detention basins; accordance with the Town's Earth Removal Regulations and Conservation Commission's requests; and that sewer and drainage design be in accordance with the recommendations of the Town's consulting engineer.

Colonial Acres and Orchard Estates

The Planning Board continued their review of the Colonial Acres and Orchard Estates definitive subdivision plans. Matteo D'Annello and Bob Lucas of the Boston/Sutton Corporation and K.N. Srinivasa of Kalkunte Engineering represented the two developments. Bill McGrath of Cox Engineering and Town Engineer, Dick Wharton, represented the Town.

McGrath was concerned as to where the drainage from Colonial Acres was going. Lucas indicated that they had reached an agreement with the abutting property owner, Arthur Keown, to run drainage under the road onto his property across McClellan Road. A letter of intent was submitted to the Board explaining this agreement.

Also discussed at the meeting were the location and number, if any, of pumping stations for both proposed projects and necessary improvements to the 5-road intersection between the two developments. These situations are currently being looked at by the Town Engineer and Town Planner. Nancy Quatrucci, owner of Colonial Acres and Orchard Estates, requested an extension of time for the Planning Board to act on the plans from April 14th to May 15th. The Board unanimously approved the extension.

Pleasant Valley LDRD

The Board then reviewed the public hearing notice for the application of variances from the Zoning Board of Adjustments for the residences at Pleasant Valley limited density residential development (LDRD) proposal. On five of the requested seven variances, the Planning Board had no comments. However, on one of the items regarding the use of chemically treated and artificially fertilized landscaped areas in close proximity to the wetlands, the Board felt this area should be further addressed and studied by the applicant. The Board also voted unanimously to oppose the variance request for exception from the 150 foot buffer requirement from Armsby Road as required under the LDRD By-Law.

Zoning Amendments

At the April 10th meeting, the Planning Board held public hearings on two zoning by-law amendments that will be on the warrant at the Spring Town Meeting to be held the first week in May. The two amendments involve revisions to the Site Plan By-Law, and a new Parking, Loading and Landscaping Regulation.

Even though none of the people in attendance at the meeting were there specifically for these new proposals, the Town Planner, Ted Brovitz, gave a brief description of both of them. Brovitz explained that the Sutton parking requirements were the most restrictive in the area and that no buffering or landscaping was required, which has resulted in excessive amounts of required parking area extending throughout commercial lots.

Brovitz showed the board a site plan of Sutton Square Plaza as it exists today, and a sketch plan of how it would look under the new parking and landscaping provisions. The sketch plan illustrated much less parking area, particularly on the South side of the structure and much more open space including a perimeter buffer and some interior landscaping.

The Planning Board then discussed the revision proposed to the Site Plan By-Law. Brovitz explained that with all the new commercial and industrial interest along Route 146 with the proposed connection to the Turnpike, site plans would have to be more detailed than presently required because the development proposals would be larger and potentially have a greater impact on the Town in

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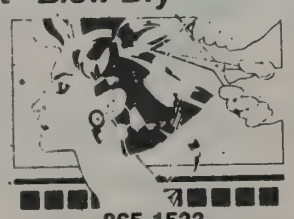

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MHS Receives Sportsmanship Award

MILLBURY - At the recent SWCL annual spring meeting, Millbury High School was presented with the Edward Garrity Memorial Award for sportsmanship. Each year all member schools vote for one school to receive this award, which is based on sportsmanship and behavior of coaches, players and fans. Millbury last won this award in 1983-84 and again in 1984-85. Principal Daniel Carmody accepted the award on behalf of the school and the Athletic Department. The trophy will be on display in the main office of the high school for the remainder of the school year.

Greendale Men's Glee Club to Perform in Millbury

MILLBURY - On Friday, April 28, at 7:00 p.m., an evening of Spring music will be presented by the Greendale Men's Glee Club at the First Congregational Church on West Main Street. The public is invited to attend and enjoy an evening of music and fellowship. Refreshments will be served following the program.

Bookmark Contest Winners

MILLBURY - School Library Media Month is being celebrated across the country during the month of April. The American Association of School Librarians has declared the month of April a time for celebrating and promoting the many functions of school library media centers.

The Massachusetts Association of Educational media (MAEM) is sponsoring the third bookmark, poster, and video contests to further promote school library media month. The bookmark contest is being conducted for grades K-4 and 5-8.

The first and second place winners in the state will receive a $100 savings bond and a $50 savings bond respectively, and their winning entries will be framed and returned to their school library for display.

The winning bookmark will also be printed and used next year to promote school library media month in Massachusetts. The winning bookmark from the Elmwood Street School was designed by Andrew Delisio. His entry will be submitted to MAEM for the final judging. The second place winners were Danielle Morse, David Sarcione and Stacey LaBrie. The third place winners were Lance Hoague and Lauren Tibbetts. Peter Luikey, Amanda Beaudoin, and Ashok Abraham all received honorable mention.

Sutton P.T.A. Meeting

SUTTON - The Sutton P.T.A. will meet on April 26 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sutton Elementary School auditorium. Members of the School Building Committee will be present to discuss Ballot Question #2, the proposed debt exclusion to finance the completion of the new Middle High School building.

May Day Fair

SUTTON - The Sutton P.T.A. will sponsor a May Day Fair on Saturday, May 6, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Sutton Elementary School. The raindate is May 13.

The following will be featured: bake sale, craft tables, silent auction, puppet show, and a hayride. Food will be available in the school cafeteria.

Flea Market and Bake Sale

MILLBURY - A Flea Market and Bake Sale will be held at the Pearl Street Apartments, 2 Pearl Street, on Saturday, April 29, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The public is invited.

Video of Bicentennial Competition

MILLBURY - Monday, April 24, marks the first anniversary of the National Bicentennial Competition held in Washington D.C. Millbury High School students from the Honors U.S. History Class participated in the competition.

The school has planned an evening of recollection through the use of a half-hour video tape and presentation of awards. Family, friends, and students are invited to attend on Monday, April 24 at 7:30 p.m. in the small cafeteria at the high school.

Sutton Senior News

WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

MONDAY: all day doctor appointments (van), crafts from 1-3 p.m. Walking Group will meet at 9:00 a.m. at the town hall.

TUESDAY: lunch at noon. Speaker on "Medicare Catastrophic Coverage" at 11:15. Special Shopping (van) on April 25.

WEDNESDAY: lunch at noon. Afternoon doctor appointments (van). April 26: at 11:20, guest speaker Phyllis Gillespie "Sr. Garden"; Bingo at 1 p.m.

THURSDAY: grocery shopping for all (van). Orchard Apartments: health checks from 8-9:30 a.m.; Info./Ref. from 10-11:30 a.m.

FRIDAY: lunch at noon. Blood pressures taken in the library at 1:15. Bowling in Webster at 1:15.

THANKS!! The Sutton Seniors wish to THANK YOU, LIONS CLUB for a delicious Spaghetti Dinner, held on April 9. We appreciate your thoughtfulness.

NOTE: the 11th annual District Senior Citizen's Conference will be held on Friday, May 5, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Patrick's Function Hall, Rte. 16 and 146 in Uxbridge. This informative program will be at no charge, generosity of local businesses. Coffee and donuts from 8:30-9:30 a.m., lunch at 1:00 p.m. Call the Sutton COA for reservations or come and pick up a form ASAP at the COA office, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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If you would like me to come back when this is over, to discuss financial issues, educational issues, I'm available."

Article four, sponsored by the Senior Government Class asked the voters to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds in the treasury, or borrow a sum of money for the purpose of re-instituting a Pre-School and Pre-Care Center for the residents of Sutton and students of Sutton High School.

Student finance committee members Donovan and Keown recommended raising and appropriating $16,000 for this article. When asked "Why only $16,000," Donovan replied, "We only have $32,000 left."

A member of the committee responsible for the article explained that the center would handle 20-30 children between the ages of 3 and 4 and would be staffed by the home economics teacher with two teachers certified by the state in childhood education. The center would follow the school calendar, run five days a week, cost $6.00 per session or $12 a day, and would be available to residents of Sutton first, then on a first-come/first-serve basis. The center would offer social programs as well as preparation for elementary school. "It will benefit the whole community," the student said, "not only the children who will be in a learning center, but also the parents."

Selectman Rick LaBonte commented on the article saying, "Regardless of the finances, I think you should all be commended for coming forth with something like this. I think it shows a real caring for the community as a whole. This is the kind of thing that next year's meeting you ought to follow through on. This is your town. You're the future leaders of this town. Follow through. Next year, let's see it on the warrant."

Two motions were then made to amend the $16,000 figure; one to increase it to $30,000, the other to $45,000.

The motions brought the following comment from Skye Keown, "If you take that money out, you're going to have to make a lot of other cuts that can't be made."

LaBonte told the students, "Normally, if this was a regular town meeting, I would go with the original appropriation of $16,000 so we wouldn't put ourselves in a greater deficit situation. You have to assume when you have a committee working on something that they've done their homework; they've come forward with what they need to run the program effectively."

The first amendment seeking $30,000 passed.

The final Article sought to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds in the treasury the sum of $40,000 for the purpose of funding "Project Sutton," to create a counseling service available to town residents.

The finance committee recommended raising and appropriating only $2,000 because of the $30,000 expended on Article four.

LaBonte asked the sponsors of the article if they were sure there is a need for this service in the community. "What is your documentation, how much work have you done to justify the $40,000 in expense money?" he asked.

One of the sponsors of the article explained that contact had been made with an organization called Project Auburn in the Town of Auburn. "They do the same thing we want to do. They take low income children to places they would not otherwise be able to go to," the student said. She also explained that the counseling service would enable students to talk to a counselor for free without having to travel outside the town. "Young people could learn that they can have a good time without alcohol or drugs."

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(l-r) Kevin Donovan, Skye Keown, and Town Administrator Dexter Blois.

Responding to the explanation, one student said, "With the way things are going in this town, low income people in this town aren't going to be a problem because they're not going to be able to afford to live in this town."

The article was defeated.

David Muradian explained that this is the second year the government classes have participated in a mock town meeting. "I'm really pleased with the work the kids have done," he said. They've devoted a great deal of time and effort to this. All the seniors volunteered their time to come in during activity period to have extra government class for the last two weeks to work on this."

It is hoped that the enthusiasm shown and the intelligent and thoughtful questions posed by the students at this meeting will inspire their parents to participate in the upcoming annual town meeting.

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Sutton Police Chief to Retire

By Terry Barnicle

SUTTON - All board members were present at the April 11 Selectmen's meeting.

Wilkinsonville Water District Commission (WWDC)

At 8:00 p.m., Bernie Chase of the WWDC was present and was asked by Selectman Rick LaBonte, "Why are the taxpayers and not the developers paying for hydrants in new developments?"

Chase responded, "Taxpayers are saving fire insurance premiums. If they have hydrants, their fire insurance is cheaper; and the developers are paying for putting them in."

Board Chairman Mike Chizy then remarked, "I wish the water commissioners saw it our way. People in the area of developments get a break, but all taxpayers in town must pay for them." Selectman Wally Johnson added that it was not fair to people outside the district.

Chase said he would refer the matter to the WWDC for further discussion. Chizy said the board will write to the Manchaug Water District to get their thoughts on the subject.

Dog Complaint

A public hearing was held at 8:15 concerning a complaint against a dog belonging to the Libbey family of Central Turnpike. Neil Newton, of Central Turnpike, testified that he and his son were out riding their bikes on a recent Sunday afternoon when two dogs attacked. One bit Newton, breaking his skin. He said he went to the hospital for tetanus shots.

Terry Libbey, whose dog allegedly bit Newton, testified that she didn't realize at first that her dog was attacking Newton and said that when she did realize it, Newton had left.

Francis Dudley, also of Central Turnpike, testified that last summer he was also bitten by the Libbey's dog and that Libbey made no attempt to restrain the animal. He said that he also went for a tetanus shot and that he lost the rest of the day's work.

Another Central Turnpike resident, Lynn Mirles, said that her daughter has been chased by the dog on several occasions.

Libbey denied that she didn't attempt to restrain her dogs. She also took "full blame," saying she was sure the dogs weren't provoked. She further said that cement is being poured for a kennel and the dogs will be permanently restrained. She also told the board that the dogs aren't licensed.

Chizy then explained that, by law, the board has the following options: to order fencing in at all times, to allow the dogs out only on a leash, to banish them from town, and, to order them destroyed. He suggested that the dogs be licensed within 48 hours, that they be fenced in at all times, and that they be allowed out only on a leash.

Both selectmen Carl Licopoli and LaBonte agreed with Chizy's suggestion. "If we have another complaint," LaBonte said, "I will vote to destroy (the animals)."

Selectman Wally Johnson remarked to Libbey, "We are looking out for your welfare."

The board agreed unanimously with Chizy's suggestions and notified Libbey of her right to appeal to a magistrate. Libbey replied that she was happy with the board's decision.

After the hearing, two residents in attendance commented on the problems caused by unrestrained dogs. "The problem is symptomatic of a greater problem in town with dogs," Jack Connor said. "People can't walk the streets and enjoy the great beauty of this town." He urged the Selectmen to enforce the law (Owners' Responsibility Bylaw) which requires dogs to be restrained on the owner's property or on a leash.

Recreation Commission member Ed Wrenn added, "There is no safe area in town for citizens to run, walk, or bike because of dogs and speeding vehicles." He also said that his commission is considering constructing a track.

Police Chief to Retire November 30

The Selectmen read a letter sent to the Town administrator from Sutton Police Chief Robert Conley which stated that he will be resigning on November 30, 1989. The board expressed their thanks for his 17 years of excellent service.

Marion's Camp

At 8:45, the board went into Executive Session with the Town Administrator and the Recreation Commission to discuss negotiations regarding the possible acquisition of real estate, i.e. Marion's Camp.

Arrell's Class III License

At 9:30, the regular meeting was reconvened to discuss the Class III (Junk) License of Arrell's (also known as A&D Wrecking Company). "He [Arrell] has a legitimate license and is running a yard," Wally Johnson said. "I'd be happy to talk to him to solve the problem of the mess."

Board members will view the site and continue the discussion next week.

Town Engineer

Town Engineer Dick Wharton addressed the board concerning the security of his position because, he said, he is contemplating some large projects for his office. The board assured him that all the town boards were satisfied with his work and that his job is secure.

"In the budget discussion," LaBonte said, "the elimination of your job did not arise."

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Linda Cohen

Fran Dudley
Former Selectman
Tura Dudley
Carl DelFanti
George DeBoer
Mary Plante
Rita Craw
Elizabeth Wilson
Raymond Tullar
Edith Henault
Anna Dickinson
Julie Rice
Emma Wilkins
Eva Savoie
Hermeline Noel
Jeffrey Cardin
Margaret O'Malley
Richard Magner
Robin Magner
James Deeter
Helina Gorczynski
Carol Anderson
Edward McManus
Former Assessor
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Sara Saplin

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Frances Plante
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Enrico Betti
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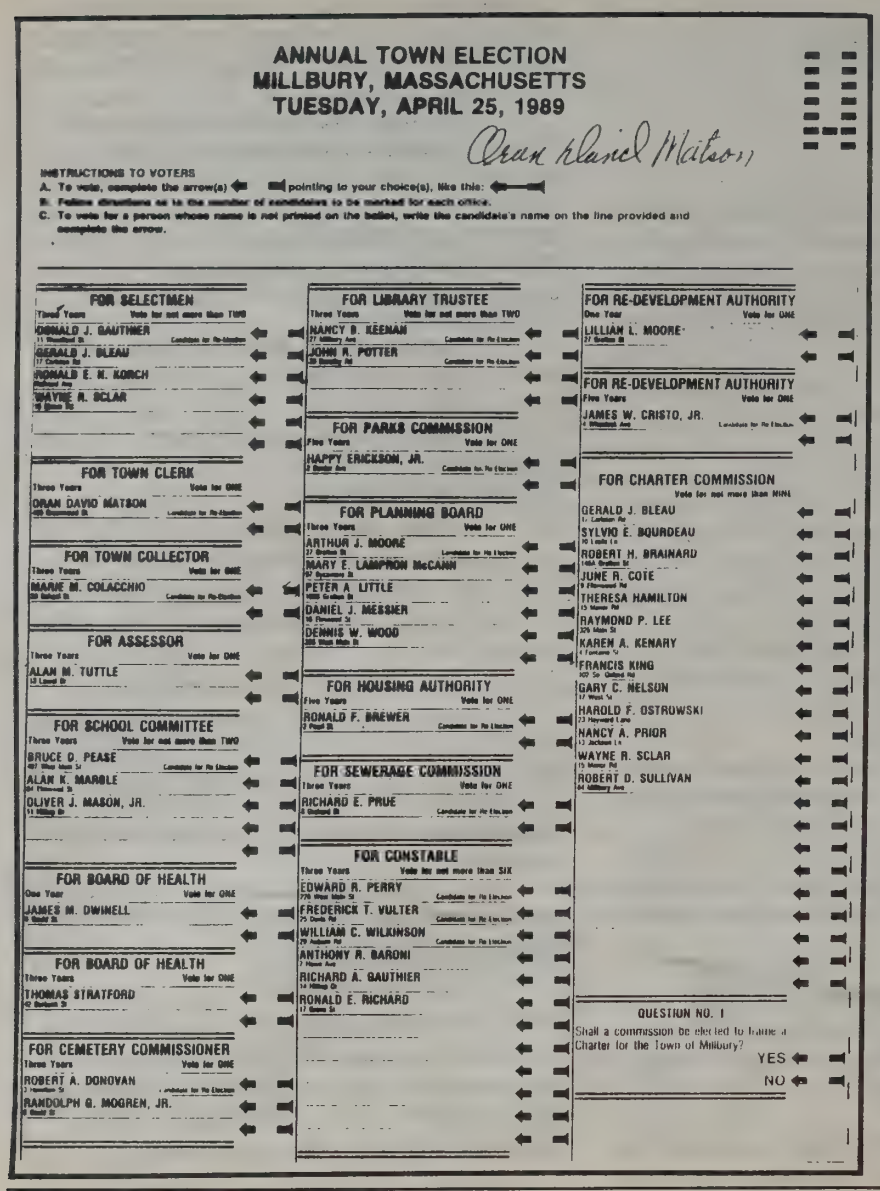

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MILLBURY, MASSACHUSETTS
TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1989

Oran David Matson

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
A. To vote, complete the arrow(s) ⇐ pointing to your choice(s), like this: ⇐
B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name on the line provided and complete the arrow.

FOR SELECTMEN
Three Years — Vote for not more than TWO
DONALD J. GAUTHIER
GERALD J. BLEAU
RONALD E. H. KORCH
WAYNE R. SCLAR

FOR TOWN CLERK
Three Years — Vote for ONE
ORAN DAVID MATSON

FOR TOWN COLLECTOR
Three Years — Vote for ONE
MARIE M. COLACCHIO

FOR ASSESSOR
Three Years — Vote for ONE
ALAN M. TUTTLE

FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Three Years — Vote for not more than TWO
BRUCE D. PEASE
ALAN K. MARBLE
OLIVER J. MASON, JR.

FOR BOARD OF HEALTH
One Year — Vote for ONE
JAMES M. DWINELL

FOR BOARD OF HEALTH
Three Years — Vote for ONE
THOMAS STRATFORD

FOR CEMETERY COMMISSIONER
Three Years — Vote for ONE
ROBERT A. DONOVAN
RANDOLPH G. MOGREN, JR.

FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE
Three Years — Vote for not more than TWO
NANCY D. KEENAN
JOHN R. POTTER

FOR PARKS COMMISSION
Five Years — Vote for ONE
HAPPY ERICKSON, JR.

FOR PLANNING BOARD
Three Years — Vote for ONE
ARTHUR J. MOORE
MARY E. LAMPRON McCANN
PETER A. LITTLE
DANIEL J. MESSIER
DENNIS W. WOOD

FOR HOUSING AUTHORITY
Five Years — Vote for ONE
RONALD F. BREWER

FOR SEWERAGE COMMISSION
Three Years — Vote for ONE
RICHARD E. PRUE

FOR CONSTABLE
Three Years — Vote for not more than SIX
EDWARD R. PERRY
FREDERICK T. VULTER
WILLIAM C. WILKINSON
ANTHONY R. BARONI
RICHARD A. GAUTHIER
RONALD E. RICHARD

FOR RE-DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
One Year — Vote for ONE
LILLIAN L. MOORE

FOR RE-DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
Five Years — Vote for ONE
JAMES W. CRISTO, JR.

FOR CHARTER COMMISSION
Vote for not more than NINE
GERALD J. BLEAU
SYLVIO E. BOURDEAU
ROBERT H. BRAINARD
JUNE R. COTE
THERESA HAMILTON
RAYMOND P. LEE
KAREN A. KENARY
FRANCIS KING
GARY C. NELSON
HAROLD F. OSTROWSKI
NANCY A. PRIOR
WAYNE R. SCLAR
ROBERT D. SULLIVAN

QUESTION NO. 1
Shall a commission be elected to frame a Charter for the Town of Millbury?
YES
NO

CANDIDATES

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Bleau said he does not believe the electorate wants a 2 1/2 override. "I believe further," he said, "that it is up to the town officials to bring in a budget that fits within 2 1/2 guidelines. If that means bonding as we did last year with the transfer station and the landfill, then that's what we'll have to do. I am not in favor, however, of borrowing money to run the normal operations of the community."

The candidates were also asked if they had any suggestions for increasing revenue without increasing taxes. "There's no way you can keep programs and services without funding them," Sclar said, adding that the only way to maintain services and programs without taxation is by challenging the state to fund them. Barring that, Sclar said, the only other alternative is volunteerism, which he said he would encourage, if elected.

Korch noted that no one wants to hear about an increase in taxes. "With the potential for new developments going up," he said, "the mall, construction projects, these will alter the tax base."

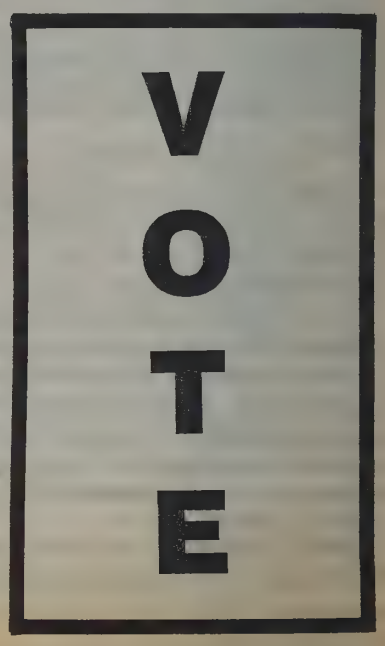
Candidate Bleau said he was on record for supporting a Finance Committee initiative at the last town meeting to charge commercial users of the transfer site additional fees for the use of that facility. "The amount of revenue that could be generated from that effort could be variable, anywhere from nothing at the moment to probably several hundred thousand dollars," he said. "I'm in favor of it because the commercial/industrial people in this town pay approximately 15% of our taxes and generate approximately 50% of the waste."

The candidates were also asked if, in these times of fiscal restraint, they would be willing to forfeit their salaries if elected. Sclar responded that he would pledge not to take a salary but would not ask others not to. "I think the Selectman's position is an important one and I respect the time and energy that is put into it. I think they deserve that salary."

Korch responded, "I'm on a fixed income; I can't say I wouldn't accept a salary. It's not a volunteer job; it's a tough job. The salary they're getting now, they deserve."

Bleau said he didn't believe that the $3,000 stipend the selectmen receive could be considered "fat." "I would accept the salary," he said. "I feel that anybody who puts in time and effort in a position deserves some kind of a stipend."

At the conclusion of the evening, Moderator Tom Fox expressed his thanks to all the candidates and said that this evening's candidates' night was the best attended and most active that he could recall in his 20 years on the Democratic Town Committee.



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BITS'N PIECES...You gotta love this one, well, maybe that's going a little too far, there had to be a lot of spoilage. That guy who worked in a donut shop who was fired and to retaliate mixed up garlic powder in the dough that made the donuts. Oy! Such a taste!...**WHERE** there's a will there's a way. A restaurant owner applied for a beer and wine license; he was denied! O.K., he says, if I can't sell it, I'll give it away! And so he is. At all meals, and to adults only, he passes out a freebie beer or glass of wine to his dinner guests. He will make up the loss by marking up the dinner meals. Everybody seems happy except the License Board....**LITTLE VILLAGE** in the making at Manor and Millbury Avenue. How they manage to squeeze so many homes in such a small area beats me! Noticed home-made exits onto Millbury Avenue. Hope they're only of a temporary nature; could be a dangerous situation in the future with all the traffic hereabout...:

ADULTS ASSUME control of Worcester Schools! Yupp, that was the top story the other day. "You are going to have a new code of conduct with the word 'expulsion' in it....you're going to have a policy with the words police intervention and court system. There will be no more cajoling, no more holding hands, if you don't want to follow the rules, get the hell out!" So says Worcester School Committee member Ed Tierney - How about that! The adults finally decided to assume responsibility-leadership in running the school system.

PHILOSOPHY is something rich people use to convince the rest of us that it's no disgrace to be poor (ha-ha)....**PARKING LOT** mess at the shopping center on Grafton Street. Pot holes abound! And you gotta watch out for the loose carriages rolling around Zayre's and Goretti's lot....

BEANS, BEANS the Musical Fruit! Yupp! Manchaug's famous Ham & Bean Supper will take place at St. Anne's Church, Saturday the 22nd of this month, between 4:00 and 7:00 p.m. C'mon down and have a good meal and time with some fine people. Delauzia! You still with the Penny Social-Raffle? I miss you darling, still love ya! See you all on the 22nd....**SINGLETARY AVENUE** has got some beautiful potholes....**A LITTLE BIT** of Heaven, that house that sits atop the hill overlooking Lake Singletary; pass it every Saturday on the way to Mass. Give my right arm just to drive up by there some day and take a picture of the lake and environs! Don't know who the owners are, though!

THE DUMBEST criminal on earth is one who would hold up a group of tourists on their way home from Las Vegas. Ha-ha, I like that!....

CONGRATULATIONS and many thanks to those CYC members from St. Mark's in Sutton and other area churches who participated in that gathering at St. Anne's in Shrewsbury. This fine group raised over $2,000 for the homeless. Kids, we're proud of you all; we salute you....**THAT OIL SPILL** in Alaska has given the oil barons an excuse now to raise the price of gas/oil. They have already, the ding-a-lings. A special PeeWee Salute for them!

NOTICE THE increase in salesmen using the phone now to pitch their wares...why, they even got a nerve to buzz you on Sundays now!

NOTICE ON a church bulletin board alerting parishioners to the sermons for the day and evening services:

> "9:30 a.m. Jesus Walks on Water
> 5:30 p.m. Searching for Jesus"

I DIDN'T KNOW THAT!...Two justices of the U.S. Supreme Court served on the bench although they were insane. This was possible because Supreme Court justices are appointed for life. They cannot be removed except by impeachment for "bribery, treason, or other high crimes." They can be ill, senile, incompetent, or even insane, and still cannot be forced to resign....Find that hard to believe. John Rutledge and Henry Baldwin were the ones....

BIG TIME OPERATIONS...Yupp! The Chronicle is in the process of moving uptown or downtown, whatever your preference....They're not kidding me, though, they just wanted to be closer to the action, i.e. the pizza parlor and the Chinese place across the street. It's going to be very tempting, Andree-Alex, so prend garde. Hope you guys enjoy the new location, hope to be seeing more of you "As Time Goes By!"

RESEARCH SHOWS that the first 5 minutes of life can be most risky.

(The last 5 minutes ain't so hot either.)

O.K. Mes Enfants! It is time to put a lid on it and call it a day....Many thanks for your support and calls. Glad you like what we do and say, and how we say it. Lord, how we try! (Ha-ha.) Bidding you His Peace, we remain your Pal,

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Parents as Teachers

MILLBURY - The Millbury Public School system is offering a new program for parents of young children. The program is intended to provide parents with hands-on learning activities which they can do at home to help their preschoolers develop skills in readiness areas. Parents of children ages two, three, four, and five would benefit the most from these training sessions.

The first session will be held Thursday, April 27, from 7-8:30 p.m. in the Media Center at the Elmwood Street School. The presenter will be Christine Daley, Instructor in Early Childhood Education at Becker Jr. College. Daley, a former kindergarten teacher, will present a program called, "Parents as Teachers." This program is open free of charge to all Millbury parents of young children, even if their children have not entered school as yet.

The next three sessions will be held during daytime hours from 9:30-11:00 a.m. at the Millbury Middle School Guidance Office. Parents of preschoolers and kindergarten age children are invited to attend. Babysitting will be provided at no charge. During these three sessions, Daley will arrange for parents to experiment with home activities which can lead to: language acquisition, math and reading readiness, and fine motor development. Parents may choose to attend one, two, or all three sessions.

This program is funded by a Special Education Early Childhood grant. Registration in advance is required. To register, call Linda Oroszko, School Psychologist, at 865-3541.

Preschool Screening Program

MILLBURY - The Millbury School Department will be conducting developmental screening for three and four year olds on Wednesday, May 3, at the Elmwood Street School.

The purpose of this program is to identify preschool children, ages three and four, in need of special education services. The screening will involve a brief check of each child's development in the areas of speech and language, hearing, vision and motor learning skills. Parents who are concerned that their child may have a substantial disability are urged to register for a screening appointment by contacting Thomas Montimurro at Elmwood Street School, 865-5241. The registration is in compliance with Chapter 766, the State's special education law.

A meeting for parents will be held on Tuesday, May 2, at 9:00 a.m. at the Elmwood Street School. The purpose of the meeting will be to inform parents of the screening procedure and to answer any questions. All interested parents are invited to attend.

Officers Elected

MILLBURY - On April 2, the Charles F. Minney Post V.F.W. elected the following officers for the coming year: Commander, Joseph Lou Lusignan; Sr. Vice Commander, Rene Morin; Jr. Vice Commander, Steve Giro; Quartermaster, Richard Gauthier; Judge Advocate, Bob Weidman; Chaplain, Joseph Gibeault; and Trustee, Frank Rano.

Installation will take place on May 13 at 7:00 p.m. at the post quarters, 16 South Main Street.

Carol LaPierre Joins Coldwell Banker

GRAFTON - Brian Delaney, Sales Manager of the Grafton Office of Coldwell Banker, has announced that Carol LaPierre of Sutton has recently joined the firm.

LaPierre, a longtime resident of Sutton, was formerly associated with a local Century 21 franchise and was consistently a multi-million dollar producer, receiving the Pacesetter Award for listings sold. She has been in the real estate business for over seven years.

LaPierre and her husband Ron, who is also associated with Coldwell Banker's Grafton office, reside in Sutton with their two children, Scott and Michelle.

Neighborhood Rehabilitation Grant

MILLBURY - The Millbury Planning Department and the Worcester Cooperation Council, Inc. (WCCI) have announced that Millbury is one of six communities sharing a $562,000 Neighborhood Rehabilitation Program Grant.

According to David A. Hulseberg, Town Planner, "Qualified first time homebuyers can purchase and rehabilitate older 1-4 unit properties with low interest rates at 8.4% fixed for thirty years. Mortgages are also available to homeowners looking to refinance an existing mortgage for the purpose of funding needed repairs."

The Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency (MHFA) has made several underwriting changes to the program, which should alleviate affordability barriers which previously excluded many applicants from participating in the program. Down payment requirements have been reduced to 5%. Added 2-3 month reserves to cover mortgage payments have been eliminated and qualifying rations for debt income have been raised.

Typically, WCCI will perform property inspections, provide work specifications, rehab estimates, and assist applicants in securing contractor bids. WCCI staff will pre-qualify applicants prior to referring them to Shawmut Mortgage Company, the MHFA participating lender. Interested applicants should contact the WCCI Housing Staff at 791-3259 for more information.

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regard to public facilities and services, traffic, and the environment.

Suttongate Mall

Jack Virgilio presented the Board with a revised plan for this 30,000 square foot retail and office proposal off Route 146 in front of the Burnap Industrial Park. Virgilio also provided the Board with a variance approval from the ZBA for the reduction in parking spaces on site. The plan has substituted some of the parking area that would be required under the current regulations for a perimeter buffer and some interior landscaping. The Planning Board has taken the application under advisement and is reviewing the plan.

ACT Site Plan

The Planning Board unanimously voted to grant a conditional approval for the Aquatic Control Technology, Inc. site plan. This company will be located in the Burnap Industrial Park and house equipment used for restoring water quality in lakes and ponds. The condition set by the Board was that ACT, Inc. provide information on the type of chemicals, if any, that would be stored on-site.

Woodburyville Heights - Phase II

The Planning Board was presented with a revised plan for the second phase of the Woodburyville Heights LDRD on Boston Road. Matteo D'Annello of the Boston/Sutton Corporation and developer of the project revised the plans after discussions with the Town Planner and Engineer. D'Annello explained that the revised plan for phase II would include some more open space centrally located between the units and near the entrance for playing field and courts, picnic areas and foot trails along the pond, and gentler slopes behind the units.

The Planning Board has taken the plan under advisement and asked for an extension until the next Planning Board meeting so that they would have the fourth member of the Board in attendance as required to vote on this plan. State law requires four members of a five person board to vote favorably on a special permit plan such as this in order to be deemed an approval.

T.B.V. Site Plan

T.B.V., Inc., located at the corner of Harback Road and Route 146, presented revisions to a site plan that had been previously approved by the Board. The new plans show a redesigned parking area and building expansion so that they are no longer located within 100 feet of an abutting pond and associated wetland. This revision will enable the applicant to proceed with his expansion plans without having to go before the Conservation Commission for further approval.

Wachusett Drive Extension

David Lavallee presented revised plans of the Wachusett Drive Extension definitive subdivision plan. The plan calls for an extension of Wachusett Drive in the Pine Ridge Subdivision to allow 13 new single family homes.

Town Planner Ted Brovitz pointed out that the preliminary plans for this proposal were submitted 8 months and 3 weeks prior to the submission of the definitive plan, between which zoning amendments were made which would require larger lot sizes than shown on the plan. The State Zoning Act allows preliminary plans to be "grandfathered" from subsequent zoning changes but only if a definitive plan is submitted within the next 7 months.

Lavallee contended that revised preliminary plans were drawn but he has been unable to locate them. The Board indicated that there is no record of a revised plan on file with the Town. Given the unusual situation, the Planning Board granted Lavallee's request for a 90-day extension so that an application for a variance could be made and decided on by the Zoning Board of Adjustments.

Emaral Drive

Lavallee presented revised plans for this 2-lot subdivision located on Dudley Road just south of Heritage Road. He explained that the revisions called for the road to be lined with a landscaped buffer from the abutting properties on Heritage Road. The Board also recommended that a waiver from the pavement width and sidewalk on one side be requested so that an even larger buffer be located along the abutting property line.

Town Engineer Dick Wharton recommended that the Board consider requiring the road to be placed on the other side of the parcel. In examining the site, Wharton felt certain that the other side of the tract provided much better road access in terms of road safety and buffering. Lavallee responded that it was the applicant's strong preference to locate the road on the northern side of the parcel where it was shown on the plan.

After considering Wharton's request, the Planning Board allowed the road to remain on the north side of the property and granted the waivers for pavement width, the sidewalk on one side, and the leveling area at the point of intersection on Dudley Road. The Board then conditionally approved the subdivision.

Women's Club Annual Meeting

MILLBURY - The Annual Meeting of the Millbury Woman's Club will be held on Tuesday, May 2, at Strawberry Hill Country Club, 1430 Main Street, Leicester. The social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m. and the luncheon will be served as 12:15 p.m. The guest speaker for the afternoon will be Barbara O'Brien, who will conduct a program entitled "The Shape of You."

Reservations for the luncheon must be made prior to April 25 by calling Pat Taraskiewicz (865-9723). The annual dues of $10 will be collected at this meeting.

The Club would like to thank the people of Millbury for patronizing their "Night at the Movies" held at the Elm Draughthouse Cinema on April 10. The profits from this event will be used to help provide scholarships for the youth of Millbury.

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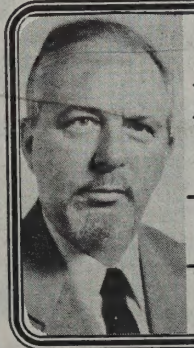

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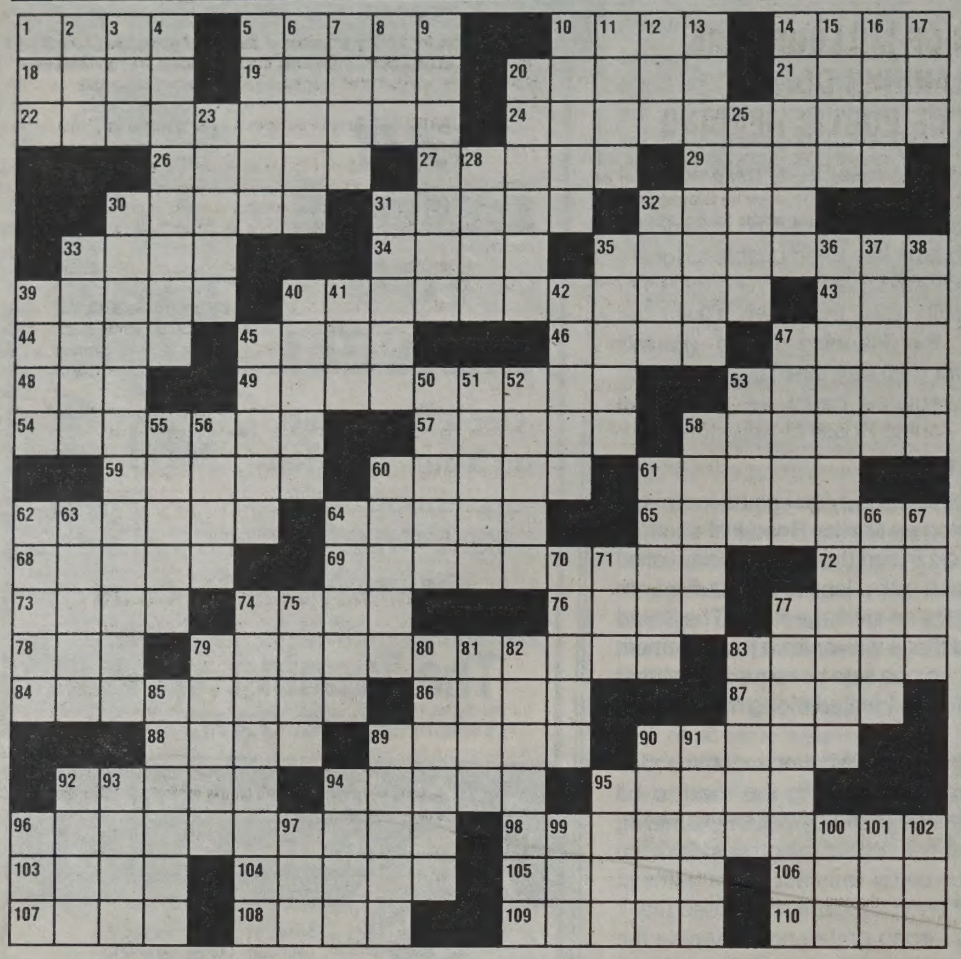

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ACROSS

1 Dutch export
5 Entices
10 Engine exhaust sound
14 Soprano Lucrezia
18 Rib, for one
19 Advantage
20 Japanese measure
21 Ardor
22 New hue, courtesy of the "Golden Girls"?
24 New hue, courtesy of TV drama?
26 Saints' wear
27 Knowing
29 Urbane
30 Winner's place
31 Blemishes
32 Delhi title of respect
33 Investment item
34 To be, in Paris
35 Young singer
39 Mixes sodas
40 New hue, courtesy Russian admirals?
98 New hue, courtesy of a British poet?
103 Deodar, for one
104 Roof overhangs
105 Monet stand
106 "— kleine Nachtmusik"
107 Desires
108 Bakery purchases
109 Acts
110 "— Tread On Me!"

DOWN

1 Fall back
2 Deer
3 Picnic pest
4 Shakespeare's "I believe"
5 Shows distress
6 "— as a firecracker"
7 Wife of Osiris
8 Oriental holiday
9 Secretive action
10 Singes
11 Fabled race loser
12 Hilo strings, for short
13 Hunters' meccas
14 Town near Baltimore
15 Popular name in Oslo
16 Contest
17 Sign, with "in"
20 Brian Boitano is one
23 Grid criteria
25 Etching tool
28 Had on
30 New hue, courtesy of Kathleen Winsor?
31 A Davis
32 Hunt for bargains
33 Pierre's cap
35 Autumnal
36 New hue, courtesy of Kentucky?
37 Heavenly hunter
38 Gossip
39 Shakes up
40 Incendiary
41 Ht.
42 Paris depressions?
45 Perceives
47 Wyoming eminence
50 Cowpoke's rope
51 Crewed
52 Account
53 Now's partner
55 Jottings
56 Digits
58 Goes on and on
60 Full: Comb. form
61 Central American zone
62 First person namesakes
63 19th century dance
64 Lend — (help)
66 Internal
67 Joint act
70 Adjusts to a new regimen
71 Kind of verb: Abbr.
74 Manse occupant
75 Wallet fillers
77 Set in order
79 Pooh's creator
80 Emerson's forte
81 Pa. grid power
82 Cast out
83 Skirt features
85 Eagle nests
89 Santa's helpers
90 Aped
91 Tracks
92 Heart
93 Hot spot
94 Cement
95 Mislay
96 Porker's place
97 Certain vote
99 Possess, in Perth
100 The Grande
101 Miller or Sheridan
102 Still
47 Minnesota athlete
48 Race, as a motor
49 New hues, courtesy the Cinci Reds?
53 Spartan serf
54 Loud speaker
57 Devour
58 Eye part
59 Tuberous
60 Greek isle famed for marble
61 Actress Leslie
62 Marbles
64 Change
65 Got even
68 Fonteyn and Markova
69 New hue, courtesy of Napa valley?
72 African antelope
73 Priests' garments
74 Sound unhappy
76 Historic periods
77 "Very interesting" comic
78 One of the Stooges
79 New hue, courtesy of "Hee Haw"?
83 Tremendous!
84 Over-stretched
86 Indication
87 Oka's city
88 New Haven lads
89 Simon of the opera
90 Polly or George
92 Foot problems
94 City maps
95 — up (add zest to)
96 New hue, courtesy of G. K. Chesterton?
43 Taconite, for one
44 Aphrodite's lover
45 Mud
46 Edges

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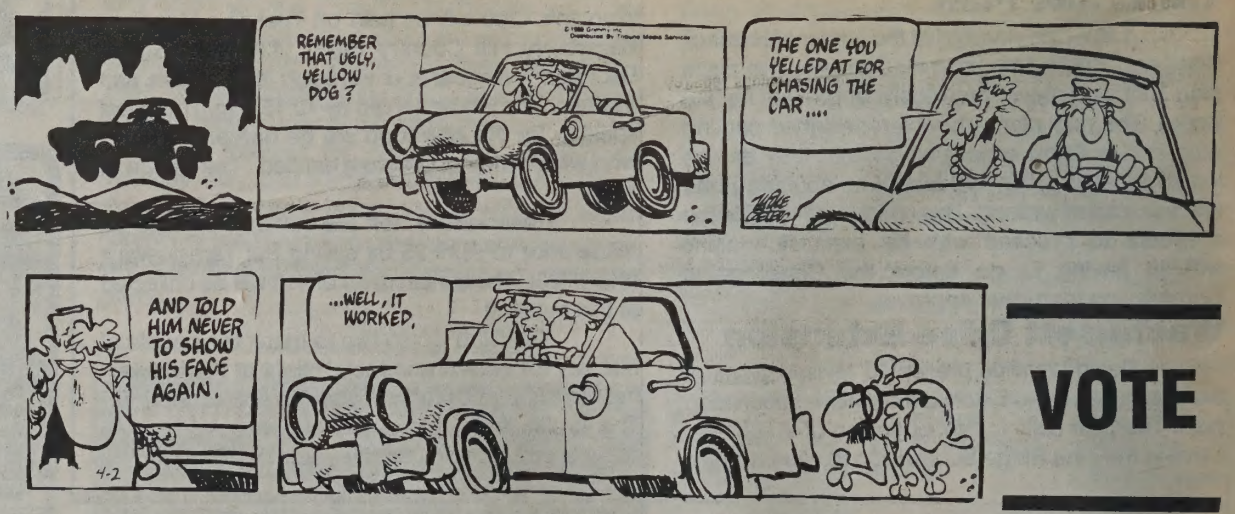
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TOWN OF MILLBURY, MA
PLANNING BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Town of Millbury will hold Public Hearings in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 40A, Section 5, on Monday, May 8, 1989 at 7:45 p.m. in the Millbury Town Hall, 127 Elm Street, Millbury, MA to review the following proposed amendments to the Millbury Zoning By-laws; and articles for the annual Town Warrant.

ARTICLE 69: To see if the Town will vote by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate a sum of money for the revision of the Town's Master Plan, or take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 70: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(1) To place a moratorium on: Article 3, Section 33.2 Non-residential uses in the Business 1 district are exempt from these requirements (parking) if having a public entrance located within two-hundred (200) feet, walking distance, or an existing municipal off-street parking lot; until the entire municipal lot is paved.

ARTICLE 71: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(2) Change the requirement in Article 3, Section 33.2 from "one and one-half (1 1/2) spaces per dwelling unit" to "two spaces per dwelling unit".

ARTICLE 72: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon.

(3) Change the definition in Article 5, Lot area to the following:

Lot Area. The horizontal area of the lot exclusive of any area in a street or recorded way open to public use. At least ninety (90) percent of the lot area required for zoning compliance shall be land other than that under water nine months or more in a normal year, other than any resource area as specified in Chapter 131, Section 40, M.G.L., parts 1 and 3 with revisions thereto, including all marshes, swamps, bogs, or wetland areas, and other than land within utility transmission easements.

ARTICLE 73: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon.

(4) Add to Article 2, Section 22.3.

In the Residential III District for dwelling units in excess of one, increase the minimum lot area by 10,000 square feet per additional unit plus 5,000 per additional bedroom.

ARTICLE 74: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(5) Change in Article 2, Section 23.2 from "plus 2,000 square feet per additional bedroom" to "plus 5,000 square feet per additional bedroom".

ARTICLE 75: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(6) Add to Article 3 and create Section 32.10.

No lot, yard, frontage, required open space or parking area shall be so reduced, diminished or maintained that yards, other open spaces, total lot area or parking areas shall be smaller than prescribed by this by-law. After the date of adoption of this by-law, land in all residence districts shall be subdivided so that every lot conforms to this by-law.

ARTICLE 76: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(7) Add to Article 3 and create Section 32.11.

Required Yards cannot be used by another building. No part of a yard, parking space, or other open space required for any building or use for the purpose of complying with the provisions of this by-law shall be included as part of a yard, parking space, or other open space required under this by-law for another building except as provided in Section 10.

ARTICLE 77: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(8) Change to Article 3, Section 34.22.

- Delete subsections B, C, and D.
- Create Section 34.23.

Signs permitted by Special Permit in Business and Industrial Districts.

1. Signs attached to a building, provided that they aggregate not more than fifteen percent of the wall area they are viewed with.

2. One free-standing sign not more than sixty square feet in area.

3. The total area of all signs, either attached to a building or free-standing, shall aggregate not more than two square feet per foot of lot frontage on the street towards which they are oriented.

Add to Article 1, Section 14.11 (m)

Signs under Section 34.23.

ARTICLE 78: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(9) Add to Article 3, Create Section 32.12.

No pork chop, rattail or excessively funnel-shaped or otherwise unusually gerrymandered lots shall be allowed.

ARTICLE 79: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(10) Add to Article 4, Create Section 47.53.

The minimum lot area may be reduced to 60,000 square feet if the lot will be serviced by both public water and public sewerage.

ARTICLE 80: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Millbury Zoning By-law, as follows, or take any action thereon:

(11) Change the maximum building height requirement provided for in Article 2, Section 25.3 for Industrial I from "No Requirements" to "60 feet".

ARTICLE 81: To create a new Site Plan Review By-law, a copy of which may be obtained from the Town Clerk at the Town Hall, 127 Elm Street.

ARTICLE 82: To see if the Town will vote to accept a formatted change to the Millbury Zoning By-laws, or take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 83: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-laws by adding the following:

Article 1, Section 14.4: a submittal fee is determined by the Planning Board and Board of Appeals on an annual basis. This money is used to set up funds available for fulfilling provisions of the Open Meeting Law, Administrative review and Clerical support. In the event that these monies are insufficient for said provisions, the applicant shall bear such additional expenses, or take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 84: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-laws by adding the following:

Article 1, Section 14.5: All expenses for advertising, engineering review, legal review, professional planning review, construction inspection, recording and filing of plans and documents and all other expenses in connection with or for a special permit shall be borne by the applicant, or take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 85: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-laws by adding the following:

ARTICLE 1, Section 14.6: Payment of any monies due to the Town of Millbury under provisions of Article 1, Section 14, Special Permits must be made prior to decision by the appropriate Board. Failure to make payment is then determined as an incomplete application and must be denied, or take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 86: To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-laws by adding to Appendix D, Article 1, the following Section 12.6, Regional Transportation Review, or take any action thereon. A copy of which may be obtained from the Town Clerk at the Town Hall, 127 Elm Street.

ARTICLE 89: To see if the Town will accept the street known as Nicole Drive, as a Town Way as shown on a plan by Lavallee Brothers, Inc. on file in the office of the Town Clerk, or take any action thereon.

Millbury Planning Board
Public Hearing Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A, Section 11, M.G.L., the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 24, 1989 at 8:45 p.m. at the Municipal Office Building, 127 Elm Street, Millbury on the preliminary subdivision plan entitled "Silver Fox Subdivision" for Fox Bus Lines.

Said property is located on the northerly side of Riverlin Street.

Anyone wishing to be heard on this application should appear at the time and place designated above.

Millbury Planning Board
Anna Lewandowski, Chairwoman
April 13 and 20, 1989

Millbury Planning Board
Public Hearing Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A, Section 11, M.G.L., the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 24, 1989 at 9:45 p.m. at the Municipal Office Building, 127 Elm Street, Millbury on the application of Louis Fantasia, F & G Construction for a Site Plan Review Special Permit under Section 12, Article 1 of the Millbury Bylaws to operate a construction company at 28 Wales in Millbury.

Anyone wishing to be heard on this application should appear at the time and place designated above.

Millbury Planning Board
Anna Lewandowski, Chairwoman
April 13 and 20, 1989

Millbury Planning Board
Public Hearing Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A, Section 11, M.G.L., the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 24, 1989 at 7:45 p.m. at the Municipal Office Building, 127 Elm Street, Millbury on the application of Ronald Gargulinski, 140 Providence Turnpike, Route 146, Millbury for a Site Plan Review Special Permit under Section 12, Article 1 of the Millbury Bylaws to create office and warehouse space.

Said property is located on Route 146 at the Millbury/Sutton Town Line.

Anyone wishing to be heard on this application should appear at the time and place designated above.

Millbury Planning Board
Anna Lewandowski, Chairwoman
April 13 and 20, 1989

MILLBURY PLANNING BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A, Section 11, M.G.L., the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, May 6, 1989 at 6:30 p.m. at the Municipal Office Building, 127 Elm Street, Millbury on the application of David M. Matson, DMD and Karen L. Matson, 116 Main Street, Millbury for a Site Plan Review Special Permit under Section 12, Article 1 of the Millbury Bylaws to construct an addition to an existing structure and create additional parking at 116 Main Street.

Anyone wishing to be heard on this application should appear at the time and place designated above.

Anna Lewandowski
Chairwoman
April 20 and 27,1989

MILLBURY PLANNING BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with Chapter 41, Section 81Q of the M.G.L., the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing to modify Section 7.06 Stone Monuments and Section 7.10 Street Lighting on Monday, May 6, 1989 at 7:30 p.m. at the Municipal Office Building, 127 Elm Street, Millbury, MA

Section 7.06 shall be modified to require that all stone monuments must be in place prior to application of a building permit.

Section 7.10 shall be modified as to strike "except on lanes and cul-de-sacs in the suburban zone" in the opening sentence of that section.

Anyone wishing to be heard on these changes should appear at the time and place designated above.

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Songs and Stories for Children and Families

SUTTON - Folk musicians and storytellers Peggy Morgan and Bette Phelan will perform in the "Big Room," 3rd floor, Sutton Town Hall, on Sunday, April 23, at 2:00 p.m. This event is sponsored by the Sutton Free Public Library with funds from the Sutton Arts Council.

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